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In fact with gold my copper burnish.
Dear Kate, I am astonished quite
At what you hint, now plainly speak—
And is it true—would it be right—
That we should pay bills by the week?

"Dear girl, you've put new heart in me,
You've made me seem a plucky man;
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IN FAVOR OF WAR.

The Russian Army Spoiling for a Fight With Somebody.

Hostile Tone Assumed by the Muscoyite Toward the Porte.

Threatened Invasion of the Turkish Dominions in Asia—A Serious Collision Between Strikers and Troops at Pilsen, Bohemia—Turkey's Commercial Treaties With the Powers—Socialism Discussed in the British House of Lords—The Imperial Government and the Middleton Affair—Wreck of the British Steamer Dacca—New Cardinals to Be Created—Foreign News.

LONDON, May 20.—St. Petersburg advices represent the feeling of the Russian army as strongly in favor of war, not with anybody in particular, but with somebody. The only public opinion in Russia is that of the army and despotic as the Czar is in theory, he, like his predecessors, finds it difficult, if not impossible, to resist the army influence. Coupled with the manœuvers near the Austrian border, which will draw together an immense force of troops from different parts of the empire is the hostile tone assumed by Russia toward the Porte, and the virtual threat of an invasion of the Turkish dominions in Asia should Russian demands remain unsatisfied. These circumstances, and the agitation incited by Russia in Servia and Bulgaria, arouse great anxiety as to the probable turn of events in the near future. The *Novo Vremya* of St. Petersburg states that the new Russian Ambassador to Persia will conclude a new commercial treaty between Persia and Russia. This, it says, has become necessary, as every year over 100,000,000 roubles worth of English cotton goods with Persian trade marks are imported into trans-Caspian Russia.

England.

LONDON, May 20.—Mr. Gladstone, after speaking at Lowestoft Saturday evening and spending Sunday here, left yesterday for Hawarden. On his homeward journey he stopped at Lincoln and made a brief speech to an inpromptu but enthusiastic audience.

Speaking at Spalding yesterday Mr. Gladstone said he would welcome a dissolution of Parliament and an appeal to the country.

NATIONAL LEAGUE MEETING.

Mr. Parnell presides this evening over a meeting of the National League in England. The object of the gathering is to take steps for the organization of the campaign for the next general elections.

EX-QUEEN ISABELLA.

Ex-Queen Isabella of Spain is in London. She will visit Queen Victoria at Windsor.

When ex-Queen Isabella of Spain arrived last night she was received at the railway station by the Spanish Ambassador at London and Lord Elphinstone.

NEWTON SENTENCED.

Arthur Newton, the solicitor who pleaded guilty to the charge of conniving to defeat justice by assisting certain persons charged with complicity in the Cleveland street scandal to escape, was arraigned for judgment today. He was sentenced to imprisonment for six weeks.

THE PEERS AND SOCIALISM.

In the House of Lords to-day the Earl of Wemyss and Maron, Liberal Conservative, denounced the tendency of the Government toward socialistic legislation. Parliament, he declared, seemed ready to do anything in the shape of grandmotherly legislation, and to meddle with affairs that ought to be left to private initiative, like workmen's houses, the payment of wages and the feeding and education of the poor. The London Council, he said, was especially inclined to prefatory objects and fostered projects to abolish leaseholds and deprive landlords of their ground rents. They even proposed to take by compulsion, without compensation, property belonging to city guilds in order to apply it to what they called industrial schemes. Serious legislative bodies ought to look where socialism was leading. It was not land alone, but every kind of property that was threatened. Freedom of contract and freedom of private enterprise were assailed. State help was substituted for self help, thus destroying the fiber of the nation.

Lord Salisbury, the Prime Minister, admitted the existence of a strong tendency to lean upon the State on every occasion. Against this he said statesmen must guard. If they imposed upon the State burdens bevond its power to bear they would create an indefinite source of expense and would ultimately produce unlimited corruption. Socialism might be defined as the State doing something that might be done by private persons for the sake of gain. Sometimes the unwise thing to do and other times a wise thing. It wasn't practical policy to classify legislative proposals as socialistic or otherwise. Every subject ought to be treated on its own merits. Too much importance, Lord Salisbury declared, was attached to the spectre of Socialism. The public could be trusted to find out what practical good lies behind the socialist doctrine. Nobody not absolutely blind could deny the existence of great evils from which arose Socialist proposals and action. Industrial and other causes produced great centers of misery. "We are bound to do all we can to remedy these evils, even if we are called Socialists, knowing we are undertaking no new principle or striking out on no new route, but are simply pursuing the long and healthy tradition of English legislation."

Lord Salisbury's remarks were received with cheers.

Wreck of the Dacca.

LONDON, May 20.—The Daedalus Reef, in the Red Sea, upon which the British steamer Dacca, from London, April 30, for Brisbane, struck on Friday last, is 400 miles from Suez and is directly in the track of navigation. A lighthouse, the light from which is visible for fourteen miles at night, marks the reef, which is a few inches above the sea at low water. The Dacca struck the reef at 6 o'clock in the morning. The weather at the time was fine and clear. Only a few of the passengers had left their berths at the time of the accident. The steamer's bows were stove, but she floated for four hours. There were twelve saloon passengers on board and a large number of emigrants in the steerage. A majority of the emigrants were young women. The passengers took refuge on the reef, a few of them being accommodated in the light house, but most of them being forced to remain on the rock. Many of the latter were compelled to stand in water up to their waists. Most of the passengers lost their clothing. The British steamer Rosario from Bombay, May 5, to Odessa, barely succeeded in rescuing the officers and crew of the Dacca before she sank. The British ship Palamecotta from Greenock, May 1, with coal for Calcutta, took the passengers off the reef and afterwards took the Dacca's officers and crew from the Rosario and landed all, 419 persons, at Suez on Sunday.

Ireland.

LONDON, May 20.—The Royal College of Surgeons of Ireland have announced their intention of making Dr. Parke of African exploration fame an honorary fellow. The formal installation will occur May 31.

Germany.

BERLIN, May 20.—In the Reichstag Baron Stumm, replying to Herr Grillember, quoted statistics to establish the fact that in Germany wages have risen 22 per cent, while an increase of but 6 per cent has occurred in coal and food products. Herr Stumm also said that the English competitive power had been seriously crippled by trades unionism, and that the labor conditions now prevailing in England were not at all what German theorists considered them to be.

THE RUMPF MURDER.

A man named Gebhardt, by trade a joiner, and supposed to have been concerned in the murder of Herr Rumpf at Frankfort in 1885, has been arrested at Oppenheim.

THE ARMY BILL.

Chancellor Von Caprivi, in response to the request of the Budget Committee, which is considering the army bill, that he appear before the committee to-day and explain the foreign situation, sent a message stating that he hadn't anything new to communicate to the committee. A commissioner from the War Office appeared before the committee and explained in detail the defensive preparations made by Italy and Austria. He said that the defenses of those two countries were still defective, which showed that great value ought to attach to the alliance between those powers and Germany.

PRINCEA LOIS' MARRIAGE.

Prince Alois of Leicester was married to day to Mme. Haupt, who was divorced a short time ago.

Africa.

LONDON, May 20.—The *Chronicle* somewhat severely criticises the replies of Under Foreign Secretary Fergusson to the questions concerning the Government's African policy, put to him in the House of Commons. They are characterized as unnecessarily vague, and the *Chronicle* confesses its surprise that the spokesman of the Government is not able to flatly contradict statements which, if true, reflect seriously upon its policy in regard to British interests in Africa.

Austro-Hungary.

PRAGUE, May 20.—The striking miners at Pilsen to-day made a raid upon the pits and forced the men who were at work to quit. Troops were sent for to suppress the disorder and upon their arrival they had a collision with riotous workmen. The soldiers fired upon the strikers, killing five and wounding seven of them.

Turkey.

LONDON, May 20.—The Vienna correspondent of the *Times* learns that all powers except France have concluded commercial treaties with Turkey upon the basis of a fixed tariff.

Australia.

SYDNEY, New South Wales, May 20.—Premier Sir Henry Parkes, who was thrown from a cab yesterday, is quite seriously injured. He will be confined to the house several months.

Switzerland.

BERNE, May 20.—Dr. Droz, Minister of Foreign Affairs, has been authorized to conclude a new treaty of settlement with Germany.

Italy.

ROME, May 20.—At the Papal Consistory to be held in June the Bishop of Geneva and the Papal Nuncio at Lisbon will be created Cardinals.

France.

PARIS, May 20.—The situation in the mining districts of Gard has improved. Many of the miners have resumed work.

Spain.

BILBOA, May 20.—Work is being resumed at the ship yards here. The town is tranquil.

Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 20.—Direct advices received here yesterday by the Guatemalan Legation stated that no disorders were prevailing in the Republic, and that the business and agricultural outlook there was never better. Senor Manuel Dieques, the Guatemalan Minister, and his Secretary, J. F. Rodrigues, assured an interviewer yesterday that their Government owned but little land, and this land was not only being tilled, but was being pre-empted fast by settlers. They claimed that there was no malcontents in Guatemala, though there were a few on the Mexican frontier who busied themselves starting rumors adverse to Guatemala; but there were no fears of a revolution.

THE GUATEMALA RAILROAD.

Senor Cottuia, the concessionaire for the Guatemala railroad, demands changes in the concession, which are not likely to be granted, as he has not complied with the stipulations. The concession will probably be turned over to a new company of Guatemalan capitalists.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

A deposit of dynamite in Tepec exploded yesterday causing considerable damage to property. Four persons were killed and six wounded.

CONTRACT LABOR.

The press of Piedras Negras complains of the United States law against the importation of contract labor, and demands that the Mexican Government retaliate by compelling railroads in Mexico to employ only Mexicans.

The Dominion.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, May 20.—Ever since the local Government passed the law abolishing separate schools, Roman Catholics have been anxious to have the constitutionality of that legislation tested. The Attorney-General refused to allow a test case to be made, as could have been done under the statutes. Catholics refused to recognize the law, and since it came into force they have carried on their separate schools at their own expense. Joseph Shaw has now filed a bill against Honore La Marche, the teacher in one of these separate schools. In

claims that Shaw's boy had been attending one of these separate schools, that according to law no religious exercises should be gone through except those provided by the Advisory Board, and that the teacher insists continuing other religious exercises. The bill asks that the defendant be restrained from continuing religious exercises in the school. It is said by those who claim to know that the case is brought forward at the instance of promoters of the Catholic schools, both plaintiff and defendants being closely allied therewith and in sympathy with the forms of religious exercises conducted in these private schools. It believed the application for an injunction will be thrown out.

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.

MONTREAL, Quebec, May 20.—Fred Roots, a young Englishman hailing from Surrey, has mysteriously disappeared from this city. He has been employed as a storekeeper with a Mr. Swift and on May 2 went to seek another situation. Since then he has not been seen. He left his clothing and other effects behind him.

A BOODLE SENSATION.

There is great excitement in political circles here and in Quebec on account of the discovery that a contractor named Whelan had paid $10,000 to Ernest Pacaud, editor of the French paper, *L'Electeur*, of this city to secure the passage through the local Legislature of a big claim of Whelan's against the Government for the construction of the Quebec Court-house. Pacaud says he paid out the money to remove the opposition of the Conservative members, but refuses to give names of persons to whom he paid the money. If Pacaud persists in his refusal to give names it is said that actions for libel will be taken against him by Liberal members of the Legislature to compel him to speak.

THE MIDDLETON AFFAIR.

OTTAWA, Ontario, May 20.—The sensation of the hour is the announcement that the British Government has demanded a full explanation as to the case of Gen. Sir Frederick Middleton in connection with the looting of Half-breed Bremmer's furs during the late Northwest rebellion. Such offenses are not condoned in the imperial service, of which the erring official is still a member, drawing a big pension from the retired list. His resignation is likely to be forthcoming. If a government investigation is held it is feared certain high dignitaries who received beaver skins will be compromised.

VOTE FOR BURNET THIS EVENING.

RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN.

Explosion in a Burning Mine—Fatal Fall and Fatal Grief.

CAMDEN, N. J., May 20.—John G. Walls, the driver of a car on the Broadway and Sixth street car line, drove his car in front of a train on the West Jersey road last night and was killed. The car was completely wrecked and seven passengers in it narrowly escaped with their lives. Mrs. Hall, colored, had her legs crushed, and Mrs. Hester Pennington was badly injured about the head. The passengers say there was no warning given by the engineer.

A Rear End Collision.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

MEXICO, Mo., May 20.—A rear-end collision on the Chicago & Alton occurred here this morning, the second section of freight train No. 71 running into the first section. Five cars, a caboose and the engine were completely demolished. The trainmen jumped and saved their lives. The engine went crashing into the caboose in which a stockman from Texas, named Chas. Bruce, was asleep. Although the car was smashed into splinters, Bruce, besides a sprained arm and a few bruises, were uninjured.

Fatal Fall and Fatal Grief.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 20.—Early last evening John Maroney, a scooper, fell into the hold of the steam barge Italia and was instantly killed. His sister, Mrs. Thomas Hanrahan, upon being notified of his death fell dead from heart disease.

A Big Landslide.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., May 20.—The biggest landslide ever known on the East Branch of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad occurred near Confluence last night. The track was carried away and the road-bed covered for a quarter of a mile. No trains are expected through until to-night.

Mangled by the Cars.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

MOBERLY, Mo., May 20.—Yesterday evening a 13-year-old boy, the son of William Dunn of Huntsville, was run over by a freight train on the Wabash Road, and so badly mangled that he died late last night.

Struck by a Train.

CINCINNATI, O., May 20.—A woman walking on the Pan Handle track near Oakley this morning, was struck by an incoming train and is supposed to be fatally injured. Before becoming unconscious she was only able to say that her name was Carrie White. She is about 25 years old.

Explosion in a Mine.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., May 20.—An explosion of gas occurred this morning at the burning Neilson Nine. Debris was shot from the shaft a hundred feet in the air. The damage to the shaft has not been ascertoined. No one was injured.

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STEPHANIE A MURDERER.

Lawyer Reynolds Dies of the Wound Inflicted by the Young Man.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Lawyer Clinton G. Reynolds died in the Chambers Street Hospital at 3 o'clock this morning. The lawyer died from a pistol shot wound which he received in his office in wall street a few days ago at the hands of Alphonse J. Stephani.

Stephani, when he appeared in the Coroner's office, was broken down completely. The news of the death of Lawyer Reynolds was a great shock to him, as the physicians up to late last night had at least some hope that the old gentleman would pull through. Capt. McLoughlin presented an affidavit setting forth the facts of the shooting, whereupon Stephani was recommitted to the city prison without bail. The inquest will be begun on Friday and an autopsy will be held this afternoon.

VOTE FOR BURNET WITHOUT FAIL.

New York City Investigation.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The Senate Committee on cities was late in getting to work this morning. Dr. John C. Beekman, whom McCann said had been the subject of a large pecuniary offer to go to Europe with Mrs. Croker, made by Leicester Holme on behalf of Mayor Grant, was the first witness. Dr. Beekman said Mrs. Croker introduced him to Mr. Holme. He and Holme discussed the trip to Germany. He made no definite offer as to the amount of money to be paid him. Dr. Beekman said he would be unable to go. This ended the inquiry into Mayor Grant's affairs and the investigation of the health department was begun.

To-night Frances Willard lectures at Pickwick Theater. Admission 25 cents.

TO SAVE WM. KEMMLER.

LAWYER SHERMAN'S ARGUMENT BEFORE THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

The Constitutionality of the Electrical Execution Law Attacked—Decision in the Case Reserved—The Carthage Postmastership—Decoration Day Orator—Original Package Legislation—Tariff Hearings—Washington News.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—The application for a writ of error in the case of Kemmler, under sentence of death by electricity, was heard in the Supreme Court of the United States to-day. Roger M. Sherman, counsel for Kemmler, who made the application, appeared for the condemned murderer. He based his argument on the fourteenth amendment to the Federal Constitution which provides that "No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty or property without due process of law," and on the eighth amendment, which provides that "cruel and unusual punishments shall not be inflicted."

Every seat in the court room was filled, but there was no crowding such as prevailed yesterday when the case was to have been heard. Ex-Attorney-General Garland, ex-Secretary Bayard, several Senators and Representatives and Attorney-General Tabor of the State of New York were within the bar of the court. Mr. Sherman explained the circumstances in which the writ of error was brought.

"We assume," he said, "with entire confidence, that the determination of questions which the decisions of this court have left open will not be reached in this case upon the present motion, but upon the return to the writ and in due course of law." Mr. Sherman contended that the infliction of death by electricity was cruel and unusual, and, therefore, without due process of law. He held that the question what, in the State of New York, is a cruel and unusual punishment for the crime of murder is one of Federal cognizance under the Fourteenth Amendment, although it involves the construction of the State Constitution and the Supreme Court is at liberty to differ from the Court of Appeals on it. Mr. Sherman also held that the Warden of the Penitentiary at Auburn was given too great discretion by the law. It conferred upon him a power which had heretofore been solely confidad to the court. He contended that the effect of the fourteenth amendment was to fix the law as it was in 1866, and to prohibit any change by the States which was then unusual, because cruel, or which was not of the nature of mere remedial and administrative process. The provisions of the New York statute for solitary confinement, for concealment of the day of death from the prisoner, leaving its determination to the warden, he claimed, were not to be sustained by the common law, but were in violation of the fourteenth amendment. In discussing the question as to the comparative humanity of the electric current and the rope, Mr. Sherman held that the electrical law gave the warden no discretion in the matter of the application of the electric current. He was obliged to continue the current until the criminal was dead. The warden might use the current for a week if necessary until it killed. It had been shown that not electricity, but a series of nervous shocks, was to cause death. Mr. Sherman gave a number of instances of the infliction of death by electricity to show that a man would not be instantly killed by the application provided for under the New York law. He believed that if a current of electricity were continuously applied to Kemmler it would be diffused over his surface. The result would undoubtedly be that to an extent the criminal would become part of the circuit and that his skull and skin would lend a resistance to the current.

The Supreme Court has reserved its decision in the case and adjourned until Friday.

Tariff Hearings.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—The Ways and Means Committee this morning gave short hearings to representatives of several industries which seek to have amendments made to the tariff bill before the final vote is taken. The fine-cut tobacco manufacturers were repsesented by P. Lorillard of New York, Dr. Spence of Cincinnati, A. C. Marshall of Dayton, O.; Oren Scotten, J. T. Lowry, C. D. Hull and T. McGraw of Detroit. They wanted the committee to forbid the use of wooden pails and packages for packing fine-cut tobacco, as they were frequently refilled by retailers with inferior grades to the injury of the choice brands. Representative Farquahar of New York introduced John B. Manning of Buffalo, H. C. Cullen and Mr. Irwin of Oswego, representing the maisters of New York State, who entered a vigorous protest against the proposition to increase from 10 per cent to 30 per cent the duty on barley. One of the speakers said that the malting industry of Oswego represented a capital of $10,000,000, and that the increase of duty would damage that interest to the extent of $8,000,000.

Representative Mason of Illinois wanted all bristles made dutiable at 10 cents a pound. The rough bristles are placed on the free list in the bill, but the prepared stock is dutiable at 30 per cent ad valorem.

The Carthage Postmastership.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—The Carthage postmastership is just where it was. Mr. Irwin was nominated by the President, and his nomination is hung up in the Senate committee at the request of Mr. Chaffee's friends. Mr. Wade and Mr. Kerens talked about the matter. Kerens was anxious Chaffee should have the place because he had indorsed him, but he said he did not care now about the matter; that he would like to have the matter disposed of on the papers filed in behalf of the candidates without any interference. The adroit Mr. Kerens has talked over the case at the Post-office Department, and his opponent, Mr. Wade, is too shrewd not to talk it over at the same place two or three times. Mr. Niedringhaus was at the Washington Schuetzenfest last night and made another speech about as follows to the toast "The German-American in Politics:" He said he regarded it an honor to be present and enjoy the festivities. He was glad to look into their bright, happy faces.

"Although we are American citizens in politics," said he, "we are free as birds of the air." It had been said the German was an idealist, but his greatest ideal was the American Union. The Germans were a factor in American politics and were in a position to make demands. The German-American citizen was not an office seeker. He was ready to 'perish for his principles.'"

T. D. Taylor of Kansas City is here.

Fathers Lillis of Kansas City and Hoag of Jefferson City passed through here en route to Europe.

The "Cuartel" Lot.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—The President has sent to the Senate the draught of a bill prepared by the Secretary of the Interior providing for the survey and disposal of a tract of land situated in Monterey, Cal., known as the "Caurtel" lot. The lot is one of those excluded from the survey of the public lands of Monterey by decision of the Secretary of the Interior. It has been occupied at intervals by the War Department for military purposes, but it is not within the limits of any declared military reservation; therefore it does not come within the provisions of the act providing for the transfer of abandoned military reservations, and special legislation is needed to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to dispose of it.

"Original Package" Legislation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—Representative Sweeney of Iowa to-day briefly addressed the House Committee on Commerce in favor of the bill to amend the interstate commerce act so as to forbid the bringing into the State liquor in original packages where the State law prohibits such importation.

Decoration Day Orator.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—Hon. Elijah Morse of Massachusetts will be the Decoration Day orator at the Washington Soldiers' Home, where Gen. Logan lies buried. Six thousand soldiers are buried in this cemetery.

FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

The Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—Mr. Stanford introduced bill for loans on public lands and announced that he would hereafter address the Senate on the subject.

The Senate then proceeded to consider the original package bill and was addressed by

Mr. Wilson of Iowa in favor of it. Mr. Vest opposed the bill.

The House.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—A conference was ordered on the District of Columbia appropriation bill and then the House went into committee of the whole, Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio in the chair, on the tariff bill. Mr. Henderson of North Carolina offered an amendment abolishing the minimum punishment prescribed for violation of the internal revenue laws. Rejected. Mr. Cowles of North Carolina offered an amendment repealing the tobacco tax. Rejected. Mr. Sayers of Texas offered an amendment providing that iron and steel ties, hoops for baling or other purposes not thinner than No. 20 wire gauge shall be admitted free of duty.

Mr. Breckenridge of Arkansas argued in favor of amendment and protested against the proposed increase of duty on ties.

Mr. Hare of Texas argued that the high duty proposed practically amounted to an export tax.

Bayne of Pennsylvania, contended that it was in the interest of the colored laborer of the South as well as in the interest of every laborer in the land that such duties should be imposed as would give employment to the people of the United States and not to the people of other countries. There was capacity in this country to make the cotton ties which were required.

Mr. Clarke of Alabama spoke in favor of the amendment, and Mr. Wheeler of Alabama made an earnest appeal against the proposed increase of duty.

Mr. Burrows of Michigan said that if the bill passed the cotton tie industry would be established in this country and the time wouldn't be far distant when ties could be purchased by the Southern planter cheaper than they were to-day. Our money would be kept at home and employment would be given to our labor.

Mr. McKinley of Ohio could see no reason why hoop-iron used for cotton ties should be dutiable at any lower rate than hoop-iron used for any other purpose. The bill proposed to treat cotton ties precisely as it treated hoop-iron.

Mr. Sayers' amendment was rejected—96 to 124.

Mr. Breckenridge of Arkansas moved to fix the duty on cotton ties at 45 per cent ad valorem. Lost.

DR. WARE, Fourteenth and Olive, has returned from California.

THE CUPOLA PLATFORM FELL.

A Fatal Accident at the Shickle, Harrison & Howard Iron Works.

A very serious accident occurred at the iron works of the Shickle, Harrison & Howard Iron Co. on Twelfth and Papin streets a few minutes after 12 o'clock to-day. A portion of the cupola platform on which the iron and fuel used in the cupola is loaded fell and killed one man and badly injured another. The men had nearly all quit work for dinner and started away from the yard. Only a few of them remained and only one was seen near the platform when it fell. He was a colored laborer named Henry Higgins. Pieces of falling iron struck him and injured him severely, breaking his left arm near the shoulder and bruising him about the back and chest. He was taken to the Dispensary, where his wounds were dressed, and sent from there to his home, 2028 Carr street.

Mr. Queen, Secretary of the company, said: "We are sure that not more than one other man is hurt, and we hope he is not; but one of our foremen has not been seen since the accident, and we think that he would have let us hear from him if he was alive. He sometimes went to that part of the yard because he was a foreman and went everywhere. We have a force of men clearing away the wreck and the work is well under way, but we cannot tell until it is all done whether the man is under the pile or not. I do not know what caused the platform to fall. It was one of those accidents which no one can account for. While other iron works build their platforms of wood, we made ours of iron, strong and well built, and supported by iron pillars fully capable of supporting the weight. One corner of it pulled loose and fell, but from what cause I cannot say.

A force of about twenty men, as many as could work without interfering with each other, were engaged taking away the pieces of the broken platform, the bars of pig iron and coal which had fallen, but it was slow work. It was three hours before the workmen reached the end of the pile, and just as they did the doubt about the foreman's fate was decided. They found the body of John Mulroy, badly mangled and crushed. He had been under the platform and the great heap of iron and coal and coke that was piled above him fell upon him. His body was taken out and sent to an undertaker's to be prepared for burial.

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THE RAILROAD WAR.

Low Rates to Points West Still in Force on all St. Louis Roads.

The passenger rate war shows no sign of abatement, and all the Western lines continue to do a land office business. Cut after cut has followed, until the present rates, most of which were set by the C., B. & Q. and promptly met by the other roads, were reached. There have been no changes since yesterday in the rates, and railroad men say they do not anticipate any more, as the are now about as low as it is possible to get them. Kansas City, Leavenworth, St. Joseph or Atchison can be reached for $1, and all the roads are now selling round trips to Kansas City for $2. The fare to Denver, Pueblo or Colorado Springs is $5, and to Omaha or Council Bluffs, $2. St. Paul or Minneapolis are $7, and Chicago $6 over all roads except the Burlington, which has made a rate of $4. No overtures for a compromise have yet been made, and the matter cannot be adjusted without a meeting of the representatives of the Missouri River lines running from Chicago and from St. Louis.

Still Cutting.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—The lines in the Central Traffic Association this morning gave notice of a cut in rates, to go into effect next Monday. The oats and oil cake rates are to be reduced to 20 cents and the provisions rate to 25 cents, the reduction applying to car lots from Chicago to the seaboard. The Chicago & Northwestern Railway this morning made a $5 rate both ways between Chicago and Omaha to apply locally to points beyond Omaha, a $3 rate was made for basing purposes. The $5 rate was made to protect the rates to local points and the $3 rate to meet that of competitors on through business. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul this morning met the $3 rate of its competitors between Chicago and St. Paul and Minneapolis both ways.

To-night Frances Willard lectures at Pickwick Theater. Admission 25 cents.

THE POLICE BOARD.

Some of the Projected Changes May Be Made This Afternoon.

An effort is being made to get together a quorum for a meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners this afternoon. If the meeting can be held it is more than probable that that the changes which have been arranged for some time will be made. In that event Maj. Lawrence Harringan will succeed Anton Huebler as chief, Chief Huebler's commission having expired on the 10th. It is possible that Capts. Hercules and MacDonald may also be retired.

VOTE FOR BURNET WITHOUT FAIL.

Missing for Three Weeks.

BOSTON, Mass., May 20.—D. W. Beckler, a well-known Boston builder, at one time worth $200,000 has been missing for three weeks. His fortune was lost in real estate speculation and he is understood to have present liabilities of 75,000. His wife and daughter know nothing of his whereabouts.

GRACE CHURCH Excursion May 24, 5 p. m. Str. Oliver Beirne, Vine st. wharf. Come.

Mines Flooded.

ASHLAND, Pa., May 20.—The heavy rain of the past week has flooded the mines about here, and work is practically suspended. Reports from other towns throughout the region show a like condition of affairs, and in many places it will require weeks to pump the water out of the workings and repair the damage done.



A complete wreck of domestic happiness has often resulted from badly washed dishes, from an unclean kitchen, or from trifles which seemed light as air. But by these things a man often judges of his wife's devotion to her family, and charges her with general neglect when he finds her careless in these particulars. Many a home owes a large part of its thrifty neatness and its consequent happiness to SAPOLIO.

Grocers often substitute cheaper goods for SAPOLIO, to make a better profit. Send back such articles, and insist on having just what you ordered.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

WORK ON THE AIR LINE RECONSTRUCTION AND EXTENSION CONTRACTS.

New Business Corporations Organized on the East Side of the River—Transactions in Real Estate—The Strike of the Nail Mill Laborers—Cases Disposed of Yesterday—News from Belleville.

With a continuation of the present favorable weather track-laying on the Air Line extension will be finished by the 1st of June. The track layers have already passed the St. Clair County line on the way from Centralia, and are at work in Shiloh Valley Township to-day. Silver Creek was crossed near Mascontah to-day. All the necessary grading at Belleville has been done. No grading will be required between East St. Louis and Belleville, as the old Pittsburg track will be utilized. Track laying has begun at the Ward Station terminus of the extension, so that the work is now progressing both ways. By the middle of June trains will be running from East St. Louis to New Albany and Louisville without change of engines.

The Mississippi Valley Mining Co. of East St. Louis received articles of incorporation yesterday. F. A. La Grave, J. W. Kennett and John C. Nial are the incorporators of the company, which has $3,000,000 capital. The stock is in 300,000 shares of which F. A. La Grave holds 299,992.

C. E. Long, J. M. Boggerman, Frank J. Kurrus and F. Schwartz, members of Mozart Council, No. 105, of East St. Louis, have been made members of the reception committee appointed for the entertainment of the American Fraternal Circle at Exposition Hall in St. Louis Thursday evening.

A telegram received to-day from Paducah, Ky., states that the East St. Louis Nationals defeated the Paducah Club two games. The score of the first game was 8 to 1, and of the second, 7 to 6.

Frank B. Bowman has sold to Paul W. Abt and Milton C. Brown 96½ acres of land just east of the Belt Railway for $10,000. A tract of 46½ acres, known as the Thornton farm, was purchased jointly by Messrs. Brown, and another tract of fifty acres by Mr. Abt individually. It is expected at some future time to divide the property into residence lots.

The Broadway granite pavement has been laid to Fourth street. Two more squares will bring it to Sixth street, where the improvements contracted for end. A bill is now before the City Council for the extension of the improvements to Tenth street.

Mr. John Sharp and Miss Maggie Douglass will be married this evening at the Presbyterian Church by Rev. William Johnson.

The Epworth League are arranging for a social to be given June 10, at the Summit avenue M. E. Church.

Judge Canby of the City Court granted Paul Gandillot a divorce from Leonora Gandillot yesterday afternoon on the grounds of desertion. Court adjourned until Saturday, when special motions will be heard.

An adjourned meeting of the City Council will be held Thursday afternoon

Richard Stanley, owner of the Stanley Tack Factory at Belleville, expects to remove his works to East St. Louis, and is seeking a suitable location.

Miss Belle Tuttle, an actress formerly with the My Aunt Bridget Company, is visiting at her home in East St. Louis.

Belleville.

The St. Clair County authorities have decided to take steps to secure possession of little Minnie Diechman, who disappeared from her home in Belleville last week and is now supposed to be at Normal, Ill. They have hit upon an ingenious plan by which they expect to accomplish this. After a consultation, State's Attorney Schaefer and Sheriff Ragland decided to lay the matter at once before the Grand-jury, now in session, and did so, obtaining a hearing yesterday afternoon. The Grand-jury were requested to take up the case in their official capacity and make an effort to ascertain who is guilty of the crime of abducting little Minnie if such a crime has been committed. To investigate the matter they will, of course, have to call witnesses, and no one could give more important testimony bearing on the case than the absent child. Accordingly the Grand-jury has caused to be issued a subpœna demanding her appearance before them, and placed the instrument in the hands of Sheriff Ragland for service. Sheriff Ragland has forwarded the subpœna to Vinton Howell of Bloomington, Sheriff of McLean County, with instructions to serve it if Minnie Deichman is to be found in his territory. Such a summons cannot well be disregarded by those who have custody of the girl, and once she has returned to Belleville the prospects of her foster parents regaining possession of her will be good.

The City Council held their regular semi-monthly meeting last night. Henry Abend was appointed overseer of the poor; E. M. Stockman, police patrolman; Andrew Johnson, scavenger. The following members of the Fire Department were appointed: Company No. 1—Louis Klein, chief; H. Schneidewind, Martin Keck. Company No. 2—Charles Klein, Chief, Edward Schetter, Henry McMurtry. Company No. 3—Charles Schmisseur, Chief; Casper Disper, Anthony Walker. Hook and Ladder Co.—William Nebgen, Chief; John Braun, Fred Stoltz. The appointments were all confirmed. The annual appropriation bill was reported by the Finance Committee with the recommendation that it be passed, which was done after amending to increase the amount stipulated for streets and grades to $19,000, and for bridges to $5,000. The Committee on Light reported having awarded the contract for illuminating the city to the Electric Light & Coal Co. at $90 per lamp, with stipulations for rebates on lamps not burning through the night. The ordinance reported for passage went back to the committee for correction, the candle-power of lamps having been omitted. The Street Inspector was instructed to notify persons who have been ordered to put down sidewalks, to do so within five days.

The miners employed by the Maule Coal Co., who struck last week against a reduction, returned to work yesterday temporarily at the old rate of wages. They will work a few days until the coal they have mined is hoisted and their accounts can be squared up, after which their services will not be required. The coal company have purchased seven machines, with which they will operate their mines hereafter.

One hundred and twenty-five laborers, employed at the Waugh steel plant, struck yesterday for an advance of 25 cents per day. The men receiving $1.25 demand $1.50 and those paid $1.50 ask $1.75. They are still out, with no prospect of a settlement. The operators of the plant say they will fill their places if possible.

Charles Saltzman, charged with stealing a gun and a revolver from William Katt of Belleville, was arrested at Rentchler Station yesterday by Detective Joseph Pfiffner. He was lodged in jail to await the action of the Grand-jury now in session.

The Grand-jury drawn for the May term of the Circuit Court was organized yesterday by the appointment of J. R. Padfield of Lebanon as foreman and Warren Hamill of Prairie du Long and A. P. Clark of Shiloh Valley as clerks.

At a regular meeting of the Mascoutah City Council last night Isaac H. Padfield was appointed City Marshal; George Gongeon, Sr., Superintendent of Streets, and Martin Ritzel, Sexton.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to W. S. Williams and Lillie Renter of Lebanon, John Sharp and Maggie Douglass of East St. Louis, J. M. Brichler and Theckla Gundlach of St. Clair.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kohl left last night for Denver, Colo. They will spend three months in the West.

Misses Lulu Wangelin and Lulu Ropiequet left yesterday for Colorado to spend the summer at Denver and Boulder.

The annual picnic of the Catholic schools of Belleville takes place to-morrow at the Fair Grounds.

W. A. Publow of New York is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Barbeau.

Yesterday afternoon a sneak thief entered the residence of Deputy Sheriff Ropiequet and stole a gold watch, chain, bracelet and breastpin belonging to Miss Bertha Ropiequet.

Lowest Priced House in America for Fine
DIAMONDS.

Diamond finger rings	$18 to $500
Diamond ear-rings	20 to 3,000
Diamond lace pins	15 to 1,200
Diamond bracelets	25 to 900
Diamond studs	10 to 600
Diamond collar buttons	5 to 150

Finest qualities, imported direct. See them at
MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.,
Corner Broadway and Locust.
Catalogue, 2,000 engravings, mailed free.

VALUABLE PROPERTY IN DANGER.

The Extensive Fire in the Minglewood Mine—Glasgow's Blaze.

MASSILLON, O., May 20.—Fire has control of the Minglewood mine at North Lawrence, seven miles west of this city. When the men entered the mine Friday morning two of the rooms were found on fire. The flames have steadily advanced since. The mine is perfectly dry which renders the situation more alarming, and the direct possible and probable money damage is simply appalling. The mine is the largest in the valley, employing 300 men and all work has been suspended, all the entries and rooms being filled with smoke. The slope extends three-quarters of a mile under ground.

A Big Blaze at Glasgow.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

GLASGOW, Mo., May 20.—A three-story brick building, known as the Hayden building, was destroyed by fire this morning. The fire started in the garret of the building and the origin is unknown. The first floor was occupied by M. R. Payne's grocery store, Frank Smith's shoe shop and Wm. Lakeye's barber shop. Everything on the first floor and part of the furniture on the second floor was saved. The building and contents were insured as follows: L. F. Hayden, building, $4,000; W. A. Maddox, furniture, $400; M. R. Payne, Frank Smith and Wm. Lakeye, no insurance. The adjoining building, owned by Mrs. C. Schmidt, was badly damaged by the fire.

VOTE FOR BURNET AS YOU GO HOME.

AMONG THE BROKERS.

A Fair Market—Stocks Sold and Prices Obtained To-Day.

There was rather more than an average amount of trading on the Mining Exchange this morning, but prices were not materially altered.

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Elizabeth was rather stronger and showed a slight advance. It was offered for some time at $2.25, with no takers, but as soon as sellers reduced their price to $2.22½ it was at once accepted. This happened three times, 100 shares changing hands on each occasion, and it was evident that the stock was pegged at that figure. The market closed with offers at $2.25.

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Central Silver continued strong and in good demand. The stock at the opening was offered at 17½, but this was promptly taken up and 2,000 shares were transferred at that quotation. Large buying orders were understood to be in the hands of brokers, given by stockholders in the property.

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La Union was steady and sold freely. The market opened at 10 bid, and a large amount of stock came out in response to this offer. All was taken, and after 3,000 shares had been transferred, bidding rose to 10½, at which figure 900 shares changed hands.

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Richmond Hill opened at 7 bid and 1,000 shares were sold, more being wanted. Bidding advanced to 7½ and 1,100 shares changed hands.

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Skyrocket was 38¾ asked, 33¾ bid; 300 Pine Grove at 2½, Puzzle was 5 bid; 10 was paid for 100 Samoa, the market closing at 9½ bid, 10 asked.

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The following quotations were made on call this morning:

	BID.	ASK.		BID.	ASK.
Adams	85	90	M. Murph	......	......
American	1 95	......	Maj. Budd	8½	11
Arizona	......	......	Mex. Imp	22½	26¼
Aztec	7	......	Montrose	......	......
Bi-Metal	28 50	29 50	Mt. Key	53¾	56¼
Black Oak	......	1	Mt. Lion	8½	9½
Bremen	......	......	M. Breen	80	90
Buckskin	5½	6	Neath	11	13
Central S.	17½	18¾	Old Colny	......	......
Cleveland	1½	2½	Old Jesuit	......	......
Clv & Anh	20	25	P. Murphy	9½	10½
Cœur d'A	......	95	Pedro Con	1	2
Dinero	......	......	Phillips	......	......
Eclipse	......	......	Pine Grve	2	3
Gldn Era	......	......	Q. of W.	......	3
GldnWest	......	7	Raspberry	......	......
Gold King	......	......	Rosalis	......	......
Gold Run	......	......	Richmond	......	......
Granite M	......	45 00	S. Frisco	......	1½
Hope	......	......	S. Hopes	80	......
I. X. L.	5½	7	Silver Age	......	1 50
Ingram	55	......	So. Queen	......	......
Ironclad	......	......	Silver Bell	......	......
Ivanhoe	......	......	Tourtlo'e	4½	6
Jumbo	......	1	W. Granit	1 10	1 20
Keystone	2	3	W. Patch	14½	16¼
La Union	10	10½	W. World	......	......
Little Gnt	......	......	Yuma	56¼	65
Little Alb	40	......			

The market was good and sales above the average in amount.

THE best tonic in use for children is Phos-Ferrone. Have a case sent home.

Revenue Agents Changed.

Revenue Agent Samuel R. Culbertson has been transferred to Chicago, and Agents Williams and McCoy have been stationed at St. Louis. During the summer months many of the distilleries shut down, the work is less and the revenue districts are remodeled. The St. Louis district now reaches from the Mississippi to Denver and south to the Gulf.

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Barney Thorman's Trial.

Barnard Thorman was on trial in the United States District Court to-day, charged with fraudulently procuring the naturalization of Clement Hermes. The trial was like the others which had preceded it; the same witnesses, and much the same questions.

VOTE FOR BURNET THIS EVENING.

Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney
DRY GOODS CO.
LEADING LOW PRICES
—ON—
SUMMER DRESS FABRICS
Of RELIABLE QUALITIES and DESIRABLE PATTERNS ONLY,
WILL CONTINUE THOUGHOUT THE WEEK.

Parties who have either failed to visit our department for these goods or were unable to be waited upon MONDAY, should not miss this great opportunity of bargains SUCH AS HAS NOT BEFORE BEEN OFFERED East or West, consisting of

BEST QUALITY FRENCH SATEENS..........At 15 Cents
GENUINE SCOTCH GINGHAMS..........At 15 Cents
GENUINE FRENCH CHALLIES..........At 29 Cents
BEST FRENCH CHALLIES..........At 42 Cents
BEST AMERICAN CHALLIES..........At 25 Cents

2000 pieces
WHITE DRESS MUSLINS
from 5 to 20 cents per yard.

None of these goods are in short lengths or old, objectionable styles,
BUT ALL FRESH, DESIRABLE GOODS.

BURNET AND JOYCE.

BOTH CANDIDATES SANGUINE OF SUCCESS AND WORKING HARD.

The West End Vote Heavier Than Was Expected and Very Favorable For the Democratic Candidate—The Work in All Sections of the City—The Deputy Sheriffs vs. the Street Department Employes—Joyce Ahead in the South End.

The election in progress to-day to fill the vacant Presidency of the Board of Public Improvements is attracting more than the ordinary interest centered in special contests of this character. The vote when it is counted this evening will be found greatly in excess of that recorded at the election for the Marshalship two months ago. The importance of the office and the patronage it affords are the reasons for the stronger interest in this election over that of the Marshalship. This was noticeable early in the day in the West End wards, where an extraordinarily small vote was polled at the last special election. This morning at 11 o'clock there were over 250 votes polled at the precinct at Bell and Vandeventer avenues out of a registration of over 900. This is the largest precinct in the city. The politicians congregated there at that hour said that Burnet had more than 200 of the votes in the box.

At the polling place at Grand avenue and Olive street there were upward of 200 votes polled between 11 and 12 o'clock. Here Burnet has fully five to every one cast for his opponent, Mr. Joyce.

At Garrison avenue and Chestnut street, the polling place for Precinct 102 of the Twentieth Ward, there were 58 votes cast at 9:30 o'clock. At the last election there were less than 20 in the box at that hour. A Burnet worker then stated that he had 50 out of the 58 cast. The opinion of the workers in the West End was that Commissioner Burnet would carry the Twentieth, Twenty-second, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth and Twenty-eighth Wards

BY LARGE MAJORITIES.

In the southern part of the city there was a fairly large vote cast up to noon. The Burnet workers were using every argument to induce the German Republicans to vote for the Street Commissioner and they reported with fair success. The impression among the representatives of both parties was that the breweries were taking but little part in the contest.

Reports from the North End wards up to noon favor Burnet, as did those from the First, Second, Third and other down town wards.

The friends of Mr. Burnet were confident at noon that the West End residents would vote in the afternoon and evening on their way home.

The Joyce workers were out early and exerted every effort for their candidate. Sheriff Pohlman's deputies threw down the writs and warrants they had to serve to electioneer for the man who received his nomination in a secret meeting from the Filley-Pohlman-McFall-Smith combination. The Filleyites were at the polls early and stayed late, particularly in the

SOUTHERN AND CENTRAL WARDS.

On the other hand the street department employes were out in force, counteracting the machinations of Filley's lieutenants. Late reports from the southern wards indicate that Joyce was receiving a heavier vote than was expected.

There was some betting indulged in, with Burnet as the choice, his supporters having to give odds to the Joyce backers.

Filley, it is claimed, took enough interest in the race to direct the movements of workers. That he is interested in electing Joyce is evident from the letters he sent out a day or two ago to all the Republican Clubs which are dominated by the hoodlum element of the party. One of these letters fell into the hands of a POST-DISPATCH reporter this morning. It is addressed to the Secretary of a North End club, and reads as follows:

FILLEY'S APPEAL.

DEAR SIR—Joyce, who has been nominated, is a *good* Republican and a good engineer. He *deserves* every Republican vote. *Stand up for Missouri* and help elect him. He will be a Republican *after he is elected*. Yours truly,

CHAUNCEY I. FILLEY.

The letter is given precisely as Mr. Filley wrote it, the name of the secretary of the club being omitted. The appeal to "stand up for Missouri" is printed on the letter sheet in red letters and the letter is written about it.

The order was evidently stamped on the paper. This solicitude of "de ole man" for his friend Joyce had the effect of arousing some of the workers who had become dormant. It was claimed that if Joyce was elected he could boast that his faction was the Republican party of St. Louis, and could carry the election without the assistance of the silk stocking element.

Both candidates were out from the opening of the polls. Mr. Burnet said during the afternoon that he expected much from the merchants and hoped they would not neglect to vote. At the City Hall the impression was general that Burnet would come out ahead.

Trouble at the Polls.

While there were a few collisions between the opposing workers during the early part of the day none were considered of sufficient importance to warrant police reports with the exception of a bout that occurred in the Fourteenth Ward between Deputy Sheriff Hartwig and ex-Deputy Sheriff John Flaherty. Hartwig is the Republican Committeeman for the Fourteenth Ward and an active lieutenant of the Filley-Pohlman faction, though some years ago he was a Democrat, and a member of that Central Committee. The two met in front of one of the booths and began an argument, precipitated by a remark Flaherty made concerning Pohlman. There were blows exchanged and Hartwig was badly used up. He had Flaherty arrested and took out a warrant charging him with assault and battery.

Election Notes.

Ernest Weihermueller complained this afternoon that one of the judges in the polling booth of precinct No. 80 at Twenty-second and Montgomery streets opened his ballot, notwithstanding his protest. He threatens to make things interesting for the judge.

VOTE FOR BURNET AS YOU GO HOME.

THE DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH.

Recommendations for New Laws Sent to the Grand Lodge.

The Convention of the Daughters of Rebekah, I. O. O. F., which is in its sixth annual session at Odd Fellows' Hall, met this morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. L. G. De Bolt of Trenton presided and there was a full attendance of delegates from thirty-six lodges and thirty subordinate lodges. A number of resolutions of minor importance were passed at this morning's session and a recommendation for certain changes in the laws of the Rebekah Lodges was sent to the Grand Lodge for its approval. The officers submitted their reports, which were of no unusual importance. The election of officers will take place to-morrow.

At last evening's session Mrs. M. E. Rea, President of the National Convention, was presented with several beautiful floral tributes in token of the favor conferred on the State of Missouri in choosing the President from its members.

ATTENTION, restaurants. Make ice cream from Highland Evaporated cream and save money.

Will Not Check the Service.

Word was received at the local offices to-day that the damage to the steamer Roanoke by fire at Buffalo Saturday will not interfere with the lake and rail service of the Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City steamboat line, as they have the steamer Concord on hand to take her place immediately.

FOR ice cream Highland Evaporated Cream has no equal. Try it.

The Jesse James Gang.

MADISON, Wis., May 20.—The Sheriff of Douglass County, Mo., and two officers have obtained requisitions for the arrest of J. M. Officer, alias Wm. Harlow, T. W. Berry and George Scott, said to be the last of the Jesse James gang.

In the Spring

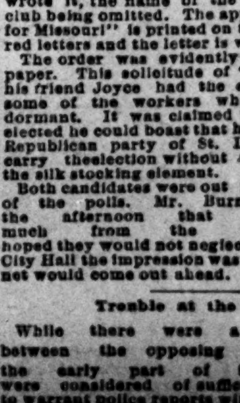
Nearly everybody needs a good medicine. The impurities which have accumulated in the blood during the cold months must be expelled, or when the mild days come, and the effect of bracing air is lost, the body is liable to be overcome by debility or some serious disease. The remarkable success of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and the universal praise it has received, make it worthy your confidence. It is the "ideal Spring Medicine."

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THE SURVEY WAS WRONG

A COURT OF APPEALS DECISION AGAINST ENGINEER JOHN G. JOYCE.

Judgment Against Him and His Bondsmen Rendered in the Circuit Court Sustained—Other Decisions and Rulings—A Divorce Granted—Given $200 for a Horse—Legal Notes and Court News.

John G. Joyce, Republican candidate to-day for the office of President of the Board of Public Improvements, lost his case this morning in the Court of Appeals, and he, with his bondsmen, John P. Mullaly, D. P. Slattery and A. Higgins, will have to pay the Haughey Livery & Undertaking Co. a judgment of $500 damages. Mr. Joyce was employed to survey a lot for the livery company in October, 1886, on Easton avenue just east of Sarah street. The first discovery made after the survey lines were established was that the survey was 10 inches off in the matter of depth below the grade of the street. This was remedied, and the stable, a two-story brick structure, was put up. Then it was learned that Mr. Joyce or his employes had located the east line of the lot 2 inches west, the west line 8½ inches west, and the south line 11½ inches north, making the building usurp portions of other people's property. Mr. Haughey, for the company, entered suit for damage, and the Judge of the Circuit Court gave him judgment for $500. Mr. Joyce appealed to the Court of Appeals, and this morning a decision was rendered in his case sustaining the judgment of the lower court.

OVERRULED EVERY POINT.

Mr. Joyce, by his attorneys, raised the point that the suit was improperly brought in the name of the plaintiff. The court says it thinks the case was properly brought without entering into a discussion of the provisions of the Scheme and Charter of the City of St. Louis and the act of the Legislature, approved March 25, 1872, concerning the appointment of city surveyors and the remedies afforded private individuals for damages sustained by reason of negligence or malfeasance in office of such officials. The court then rules against Mr. Joyce. Continuing, the court says:

"It is now claimed by Mr. Joyce and his bondsmen that Mr. Haughey sued on one cause of action and the court permitted it to recover upon an entirely different cause of action, in this, that the petition alleged the employment of Joyce to survey plaintiff's lot for the purpose of ascertaining its depth below the grade of Easton avenue; whereas on the trial the plaintiff attempted to prove that Joyce was employed to furnish it with a conventional grade about nine inches above the grade of the avenue which builders had adopted as a suitable and necessary elevation for the erection of buildings. The defendants urge that this departure in the evidence from the allegations in the petition was not a simple variance, but must be regarded as an

ABSOLUTE FAILURE OF PROOF.

We will assume that the plaintiff introduced substantial evidence in proof of the fact that Joyce was employed to survey the particular lot mentioned in the petition and to ascertain for the plaintiff the depth of the lot below the customary builders' grade. The petition averred that he was to ascertain the depth of the lot below the grade of the avenue. Would this variance amount to a failure to prove plaintiff's cause of action in its entire scope and meaning? We think not. * * * We will have to decide the questions presented by this assignment adversely to the defendants.

The lower court ruled that Joyce was not responsible for an honest mistake, but it was found the mistake was not an honest one. Mr. Joyce in his appeal claimed that it was and the Court of Appeals says it must uphold the lower court and declare it was not, but that he was guilty of negligence in failing to perform the work according to his contract.

PERFECTION IMPOSSIBLE.

"The view taken of the foregoing assignments dispenses with the consideration by us of the fourth and last point made in Mr. Joyce's brief, except it may be stated that the evidence tended to prove the averments in the petition concerning the erroneous survey of, the boundaries of the lot. Plaintiff also introduced evidence to the effect that the boundary was located according to the stakes of the Joyce survey, and that after the building was erected it was ascertained that portions of it extended at different places on the adjoining lots. We recognize the fact that perfect accuracy in measurements is not usually attained and ought not to be expected in any case, but in this case if the plaintiff's livery stable was constructed according to the survey we are authorized to hold Joyce was negligently at fault in locating the boundaries of plaintiff's lot.

"The judgment of the Circuit Court will be affirmed."

Court of Appeals Decisions.

John L. Dowdy, guardian and curator of George R. Harris et al., appellants, vs. Joseph Womble et al., respondents, Stoddard County; affirmed and transferred to Supreme Court; dissenting opinion by Judge Thompson.

Pickney L. Powers, appellant, vs. George R. Braley, respondent, Stoddard County; reversed and remanded.

The Haughey Livery & Undertaking Co., respondents, vs. John G. Joyce et al., appellants, St. Louis County; affirmed.

Wm. I. Taylor et al., P. E., vs. Marion County, D. E., in the matter of the petition of Gardner et al., for a public road, Marion County; affirmed.

The Wabash Western Railroad Co., respondent, John Robertson et al., F. A. Seiffert, appelants, city; motion for rehearing overruled.

Jos. Schnaider Brewing Co., respondent, Jos. Y. Levvie, appellant, St. Charles County; motion for writ of error and supercedaes overruled; opinion filed.

Michael Kempf, respondent, vs. Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co., appellant, St. Louis County; motion to modify judgment overruled.

Charles Martin, administrator, etc., appellant, vs. James W. Fox et. al., defendants, James A. Farmer, intpl. resp., St. Charles County; motion for rehearing overruled.

State of Missouri ex rel. Hugo S. Jacobi et al., respondents, vs. Theodore Heege et al., Judges of the County Court of St. Louis County, appellants, St. Louis County; motion for rehearing overruled.

Legal Notes.

Mrs. Mary A. Miller was granted a divorce from William Miller this morning by Judge Withrow.

Henry Brockmeier in his will gives his entire estate to his brother, Frank Brockmeier, who is made executor.

Christian Bisking in his will admitted to probate to-day gives each of his children $5 and the balance of the estate to his wife.

The Court of Appeals will meet again Thursday morning, when is will probably finish the docket for this term and render several decisions.

James Drohr, dealer in boots and shoes at 2703 St. Louis avenue, made a general assignment yesterday to Attorney M. R. Cullen for the benefit of his creditors. The assets are said to be $2,500.

Judge Dillon made a ruling in the divorce case of Harry L. Dedrick against Eliza Dedrick this morning, ordering the husband to pay his wife $20 immediately, $6 per week hereafter, and $60 by June 10.

A peculiar provision in Henry Good's will, filed to-day, was to the effect that his daughter Catherine shall have no share or part in his estate, which he leaves to his son John and stepdaughter Ann Hicks.

Frederick Deck has entered suit against George Kunne, administrator of the estate of Ferdinand Feldkamp, for $75 claimed to be due as commissions for finding a purchaser for the saloon on Olive street.

John Jebarrischultz bequeaths $50 to St. Joseph's Catholic Church for fifty masses to be said for the repose of his sovl. The remainder of the estate is to be divided into equal parts between his two daughters.

Wm. Hoerr was given judgment for $200 against the St. Louis Cable & Western Railway Co. and Henry Laughlin as security by Judge Withrow this morning for the loss of his horse, which was killed in a cable collision.

John K. Haywood filed an attachment suit against the Cleveland, St. Louis & Kansas City Railroad Co., Frank C. Hollins and the Missouri River Construction Co. this morning for $4,432.99, a balance due him for services rendered the company as manager.

VOTE FOR BURNET AS YOU GO HOME.

An Insane Land Register.

FARGO, N. D., May 20.—Capt. S. F. Demers was taken to the Jamestown Insane Asylum for treatment yesterday. The strange actions of Capt. Demers were first noticed while he was attending the opera Saturday evening. Mr. Demers is United States Land Register here.

VOTE FOR BURNET THIS EVENING.

THE NOLAND CASE.

Suit to Be Brought Against the Ex-Treasurer's Bondsmen.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 20.—Charles T. Noland and ex-Gov. Morehouse arrived from St. Louis last night. The former is here as attorney for E. T. Noland, ex-Treasurer, and the latter is here to notify Gov. Francis that he cannot make up the treasury deficit and ask that suit be instituted against Noland's bondsmen. It has been the intention all along to commence suit in the Cole County Circuit Court now in session, but ex-Gov. Morehouse wants the suit instituted in Howard County against Judge J. H. Smith, one of the bondsmen, who has not put up anything, and it is possible that the Governor and Attorney-General will yield, as it is really of small importance where the suit is commenced. Ex-Gov. Morehouse is greatly disappointed over his inability to raise the deficit. He blames John O'Day, Ed. O'Day and J. H. Smith for the failure. The latter two have done nothing. The two Christopher brothers, who are on the bond, have not paid anything, but they are Republicans and it is understood that they were advised not to pay. It is a foregone conclusion that the suit will be commenced. There is some reason to believe the Grand-jury now in session here took up the treasury deficit case this morning. The information has been carefully prepared by Prosecuting Attorney Davison, and there is nothing in the road of returning an indictment without delay. Should the jury undertake to hunt up the gamblers who fleeced Ed Noland, as directed by Judge Edwards, the investigation may be prolonged indefinitely. Friends of the ex-Treasurer say that he is anxious for a trial as soon as the State is ready. If he continues to entertain this view there is no doubt but that the case will be tried the present term of court, as the prosecution will not ask for delay. The Grand-jury for this term of court is composed of the best men in the county. A majority of the jurors are farmers who are far above the average in intelligence.

If You Wear Pants

Come to the Globe this week. New styles cheviot pants $1.25, $1.50, $2 and $2.50; finest Baltimore tailor-made pants included, seamless, $3.50 to $6. GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin av.

MISSOURI BOODLERS.

Prospective Action by the Grand-Jury of Cole County.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 20.—It can now be definitely stated that the boodle members of the Legislature and the corrupt lobbyists will have their acts investigated. Just what evidence Prosecuting Attorney Davison has in his possession your correspondent is not able to say. Judge Davison is a very discreet man and usually lets other people do the talking, but, nevertheless, he is the most fearless prosecutor the county ever had, and he is as honest as he is fearless. This is the best place in the State to try such cases. There will be no chance to pack a jury or wear out the prosecution. If the men who have knowledge of the corrupt methods employed in connection with the beef inspection bill while it was pending before the last Legislature, will aid the Cole County Grand-jury in getting at the facts, there is no doubt but what a number of the boodlers will be convicted.

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Solid Silver Berry Spoons, $7.50 to $18.00.
Solid Silver Bon Bon Dishes, $11.00 to $25.00.
Solid Silver Bowls, $40.00 to $150.00.
Solid Silver Tea Services, $95.00 to $850.00.
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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The outlaw and leader of a desperate gang, Profirio Trujillo, surrendered himself to the authorities of Las Vegas, N. M. yesterday, and gave bond for his appearance.

Senator Stanford's visit to Europe is not to secure rest, but to consult physians regarding that dreadful disease, locomotor ataxia, with which he is threatened at any time. The best specialists will be consulted.

At Odam, Ga., yesterday Justice W. H. Aspinwall and Mr. C. Odam, who have been unfriendly with each other for some months, quarreled. Odam made some contemptuous allusion to the Justice, whereupon the latter drew a pistol. Odam leaped upon the Justice, took the pistol from him and shot him in the head. Although dangerously wounded, the Justice pulled out a knife and stabbed Odam twice near the heart. Both men are still alive, but may die.

VOTE FOR BURNET WITHOUT FAIL.

Clayton Notes.

There is a probability that Forsythe boulevard will soon be open between Clayton and the city. The thoroughfare has been the subject of litigation recently, but an amicable adjustment is soon expected. The opening will shorten the distance to the city by road almost two miles.

The parsonage projectors of the M. E. Church are having some difficulty in commencing their house, due to threatened strikes among the carpenters, masons and plasterers.

A select musical entertainment will be given at Wilson Chapel at an early date under the direction of Mr. Frank Walsh of St. Louis.

Mrs. Dr. McDonald and family have recently moved to our town from Pattonville, Mo.

Mr. Sidney Garrett is erecting a handsome little cottage on the corner of Meramec and Bonam avenues.

Parents, Buy Boys' Suits at the Globe.

Suits for boys up to 18, hundreds of styles, $2.50, $3.50 and $5. Finest Baltimore Merchant Tailor Suits in Cutaways and Sacks $10 to $15.
GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

Academy of Science.

At the weekly meeting of the Academy of Science last night Dr. Joseph Grindon was proposed for associate membership. Prof. Winslow, the State Geologist, and Dr. Gustavus Heinrichs of Iowa City delivered interesting addresses on geology and meteorology, the latter showing a photograph of a meteorite which weighed sixty-six pounds. Prof. Snow presented the society with a photograph of Pasteur and gave a description of the Pasteur Institute near Paris, which he recently visited.

THE best tonic in use for children is Phos-Ferrone. Have a case sent home.

Not Missing.

On account of the unnecessary alarm of relatives the police were asked to assist in finding Mrs. John F. Stege, who was reported as among the missing. Mrs. Stege had gone to visit her aunt and had left a note for her husband, which had been mislaid. On that account her absence was unexplained and hasty publicity was given to the matter, which has caused Mr. and Mrs. Stege much annoyance.

VOTE FOR BURNET WITHOUT FAIL.

Supposed to Have Swallowed Poison.

Mrs. Eda Berbour, a married woman, 22 years old, had a dispute with her husband at her home, 1402 North Eighth street, yesterday evening and later became very sick. It was reported that she had swallowed a dose of morphine. Antidotes were administered by Dr. O'Donohoe and she is now out of danger.

THE very choicest of food beverages is
BLOOKER'S DUTCH COCOA.

Broker Straine's Liabilities.

BOSTON, Mass., May 20.—The liabilities of R. F. Straine, broker at the Rialto building, aggregate $181,175, of which $69,400 is nominally secured by stocks of various kinds.

REAL ESTATE NEWS.

THE ROUND TOP MARKET SOLD TO W. P. CROSSWHITE.

He Expresses His Views of Its Future Value on Account of the Location "Opposite the Depot" Which Will Probably Be Built on the Site of the Old Ashley Building.

The property known as the Round Top Market, owned by the heirs of John M. Harney, was sold at special commissioner's sale to-day by Charles H. Turner for $42,700 to W. P. Crosswhite. The sale was cried by H. L. Sutton, and the bidding showed that there were several parties who appreciated its value. Festus J. Wade followed the bidding up to the $40,000 mark, when he dropped out of the contest, C. C. Crone, another bidder, competing with Mr. Crosswhite until he exhausted himself on an offer of $42,600.

The premises have an equal frontage of 338 feet 9 inches on Broadway and Fourth street and 84 feet 9 inches on both Biddle and O'Fallon streets, with the Round Top Market Building covering the whole space.

Mr. Cosswhite bought the property on speculation, and while he considers that he has secured a bargain in it he freely admits that there is no one who knows the value of the site. He spoke of its being of great value on account of its location "opposite the depot," conveying the idea that the Ashley Building, purchased recently by B. F. Hammett and George Wilson for $120,000, is intended for a site for the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway Co.'s new passenger depot. The supposition was that the Ashley Building was bought in the interest of the Bridge Railway Terminal Co., but it is more probable that it was purchased in the interest of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy people.

Mr. Crosswhite said that the old market site could be improved over its present area to the heighth of one story, and from that elevation a building could be extended out over the sidewalk on either side, and that by so doing the width of the structure above the first story could be made 52 feet, and that a grand building could be put up on that plan facing the depot. This plan of building he also said could be carried out by obtaining an ordinance from the city to build above the sidewalks, a custom which was quite prevalent in the city of New York.

From this talk it is apparent that Mr. Crosswhite has a well defined idea of a depot to be built in that locality, and his knowledge of projected railway enterprises in the vicinity is what induced him to buy the Round Top Market.

The market was established over twenty-five years ago under a joint contract between John M. Harney and the city, the agreement being that the city, after making the improvements, was to have an equal share in the net profits derived from the rentals. Later the city sued Gen. Harney for an accounting, when it was shown in court that the property, after paying expenses, had produced no profit, and that consequently nothing was due to the city from it. In the meantime heavy assessments were levied against the property by the city for paving the streets with granite and this expense also being presented in its strongest light a compromise was agreed upon by parties to the suit, and the Round Top Market was closed to the public last summer.

A SUBDIVISION AT FERGUSON.

Adam Boeck & Co. sold a 12-acre property at Ferguson, in St. Louis County, about twelve miles from the city on the Wabash Railway, for $7,500. This property belonged to Fannie V. Hubbard and there is a frame cottage upon it, occupied by Dr. Page. Philip E. Green, the purchaser, intends subdividing the plot to sell it off in small parcels.

BUYING ON VANDEVENTER AVENUE.

M. B. Saddler has purchased 180x112 feet of ground at the southwest corner of Vandeventer and Bell avenues, next adjoining the site for the Pastime Athletic Club's new hall building, at $75 a foot, and his cousin, Adolph Pfiffer, has bought 110x117 feet at the southeast corner of Windsor place and Vandeventer avenue at $58.56 a foot. Both these purchasers have great faith in the future of Vandeventer avenue property.

INCREASING IN VALUE.

C. C. Nicholls sold 100x152 feet of ground on the north line of Westminster place, about 400 feet west of Taylor avenue, at $50 a foot for W. N. Bronson to A. P. Forbes. This ground was sold by Mr. Nicholls last December at $31.50 a foot to Henry P. Wyman, for whom he sold it in April last for $40 a foot to Mr. Bronson, the present grantor.

C. R. H. Davis & Co. sold the six-room brick dwelling and 25x162½-foot lot at No. 4210 Finney avenue for $4,650, from Mrs. E. H. Towner to Elliott B. Page.

Percy & Vallat have perfected a sale of the three-story ten-room stone-front dwelling and 50x109-foot lot numbered 2629 Chestnut street for $11,000 cash, from A. W. Straub to Harriet Ford.

WASHINGTON AVENUE.

C. C. Nicholls reports the sale of a piece of his own property, a vacant lot fronting 40 feet by a depth of 157 on the north side of Washington avenue, 65 feet east of Pendleton, at $81 a foot to Mrs. A. K. Vickery, who is going to build a home there.

Half-Fare Excursions to Virginia.

The Ohio & Mississippi Railway will sell tickets at the low rate of one fare for the round trip from St. Louis to Harpers' Ferry, Lexington, Staunton and other points in the Virginias; good going May 26, 27, and 28, and returning to June 15, inclusive. The O. & M. is the best and quickest route to the Virginias. For tickets, etc., call at O. & M. offices, 101 and 103 North Fourth street and the Union Depot.

HOTEL PERSONALS.

A. A. Wheeler, Miami, O.; W. E. Boynton, Freeport, Ill.; J. B. Howard, Baltimore, and N. W. Murphy, Atlanta, are at the Lindell.

A. J. Rasco, St. Joseph, Mo.; C. A. Ewing, Lathrop, Mo.; Albert Watson, Mt. Vernon, Ill., and E. W. Price, Glasgow, Mo., are at the St. James.

T. Byron, Birmingham, Ala.; W. H. Kelly, Manhattan, Kan.; H. S. Warner, Springfield, Mo., and C. B. Bowling, Columbia, Mo., are at the Laclede.

C. S. Jones, Chicago; John Brown, Boston; Oliver Smith, New York; John J. Heiser, New York, and Frank S. Holmes, Oskaloosa, Ind., are at the Southern.

Wm. C. Wilson, Cincinnati; B. Rosenthal, Chicago; Ed N. Brown, Omaha; J. E. Custer, St. Joseph, Mo., and L. H. Bergham, Los Angeles, Cal., are at Hurst's.

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Frank C. Hayden Dead.

Mr. Frank C. Hayden died at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hayden, 4509 Ashland avenue, on Sunday. Deceased, who was only 28 years of age, was agent for the American Express Co. and Wells-Fargo at St. Joseph, and prior to his being located in that city worked for several years under his father and Mr. Horace E. Read, agent for the same companies in St. Louis. The deceased married Miss Emma Paddock of this city six years ago, and the lady died in 1888. A little boy survives. The funeral took place to-day from the family residence.

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Will Be Prosecuted.

While Arthur Wachter, living at 1525 South Twelfth street, was asleep in the saloon at 1526 South Broadway yesterday evening his watch, a silver-case stem-winder, was stolen from his pocket. On a description given by Wachter of a young man he had seen in the place, Officers Connors and Schroeder of the Second District went early this morning to the residence at Eleventh and Carroll streets and arrested Fred Pohlman. The stolen property was found in his possession. A warrant will be sworn out to-day.

VOTE FOR BURNET AS YOU GO HOME.



NEVER BETS ON HIS OWN HORSE.

They tell a good story of a man who has a fondness for fast horses. A year or two ago he had one that was said to be a "flyer," and marvelous stories were told of what she had done, and was capable of doing. But an intimate friend noticed that the owner of the wonderful horse never staked any money on her.

"Why don't you back her for a good, round sum, if she can do what you claim she can?" he asked. "That would prove that you had confidence in her, but as it it is——."

"See here, my friend," said the other, with a twinkle in his eye, "don't you know me well enough to know that I'm *too modest* to bet on my own nag, especially when I feel sure that she can't come out ahead?"

When a man knows he can accomplish what he undertakes, he doesn't feel too modest to say so. When Dr. Pierce put his "Favorite Prescription" before the public as a certain remedy for "female weakness," with "satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded" on every bottle of it, it proved that he had entire confidence in the preparation. He felt sure of its merits, and the testimony of thousands of women who have been cured by it of "weakness," "irregularities," and all the peculiar diseases from which their sex suffers so much, proves that his faith was well founded.

As a powerful, invigorating tonic, "Favorite Prescription" imparts strength to the whole system, and to the womb and its appendages in particular. For overworked, "worn-out," "run-down," debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequaled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic, or strength-giver.

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THE W. C. T. U.

THE MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE THIS MORNING.

Work to Be Done by the Convention—Frances Willard's Lecture This Evening at Pickwick Theater—What the Executive Committee Did To-Day—The Programme for the Following Four Days.

This morning at 9 o'clock the Executive Committee of the State Woman's Christian Temperance Union met in Odd Fellows' Hall. The meeting was a closed one, only the State officers, the State superintendents and the district presidents being there.

Mrs. Helen Harford opened the meeting with devotional exercises. A letter was read from Frances Willard in regard to the birthday of Miss Jennie Cassidy, National Superintendent of the Flower Mission, which occurs on June 9. It was decided to present her on that date with a testimonial of their friendship.

A letter was read from Mrs. Woodbridge, the National Secretary, regarding the signatures to the world's petition for temperance. The letter stated that 16,000 names had already been secured and urged each union to present the petition during the month of July.

A letter was read from Mrs. S. B. Wilkins relative to collections for the temperance hospital in Chicago, and requesting that Mrs. Belle Kimball, the State Superintendent of parlor work, would devote special attention to this work during the month of September.

The resignation of the State Superintendent of Scientific Temperance Instruction, Mrs. Louise O. Brock, was read and accepted. Her resignation was caused by her removal from the State.

Mrs. Hazzard made a few remarks on suffrage, and urged that some plan be adopted to further it.

A letter was read from Mrs. Shields of the Loyal Temperance Legion, urging that the

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and legion work be separated, and that Mrs. Jennie Warden of Osceola be appointed Superintendent of the Loyal Temperance Legion. This suggestion was adopted by the committee.

A communication was received from Miss Frances E. Willard, urging that speakers on temperance work be secured for the summer.

It was resolved to assist the *Union Signal* and *Crusader*, publications devoted to the cause of temperance, by securing subscriptions for them.

It was moved and carried that the convention send Lillian Wood as a representative of scientific temperance instruction to the State Teachers' Association at Sweet Springs in June. It was also moved and carried that the W. C. T. U., sympathize with and indorse the White Cross movement in this city.

A committee, consisting of Mrs. Belle Kimball, Mrs. Walter Culver and Mrs. C. M. Adams, was appointed to select a representative to the meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society in June.

The committee then adjourned to take lunch, which had been prepared in an anteroom by a committee.

THE SERVICES FOR THIS EVENING.

This evening Miss Frances E. Willard, President of the National Union, will lecture at the Pickwick Theater on "Home and Humanity." The devotional exercises will be conducted by Miss Laura Clay of Lexington, Ky.

To-morrow morning the address of welcome will be delivered by Mrs. F. H. Ingalls of St. Louis and Mrs. C. Dobyns of Shelbina will respond. Mrs. C.C. Hoffman will deliver the presidential address, and brief reports will be received from the First District (Mrs. S. Tatlow of Edina) and from the Second District (Mrs. R. Callahan of Moberly). Mrs. H. E. Worthington of Kirkwood will conduct the noontide prayer service. In the afternoon reports will be received from the following superintendents:

Evangelistic, Mrs. Ira Lewis, Kansas City; Railroad work, Mrs. M. Ringe, Trenton; Social Purity, Mrs. A. V. Linville, Edina; Foreign work, Mrs. B. Downey, Mound City; Franchise, Mrs. R. A. Hazard, Kirkwood; Juvenile work, Mrs. S. B. Shields, Independence; Third District, Mrs. A. M. Dickens, King City; Fourth District, Miss L. Wood, Maryville; Fifth District, Mrs. M. P. Coleman, Kansas City; Sixth District, Miss E. P. Babb, Columbia; Seventh District, Mrs. T. E. Kizer, Louisiana; St. Louis, Mrs. B. P. Robert, St. Louis.

In the evening an address will be delivered by Mrs. Louise S. Rounds of Chicago, President of the Illinois W. C. T. U.

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Mrs. Z. Watkins of Camden will lead the devotional exercises, after which reports will be received from the following superintendents: Work for Soldiers, Mrs. S. Allen, Kansas City; Sabbath Observance, Mrs. K. L. Shaw, Cameron; State and County Fairs, Mrs. F. Dungan, Oregon; Press Work, Mrs. M. Hughes, Richmond; Health and Heredity, Mrs. K. F. Newton, Bolivar; *Union Signal*, Mrs. I. F. Burr, Princeton; Labor Department, Mrs. A. S. Cairns, Kirkwood; Colored People, Mrs. S. Smith, St. Louis. Reports will also be received from the Tenth District, Mrs. L. Munmert, DeSoto; Eleventh District, Mrs. L. G. Wallace, Lebanon; Twelfth District, Mrs. A. J. Olds, Harrisonville. In the afternoon there will be further reports from superintendents; Scientific and Temperance Instruction, Mrs. L. O. Brock, Macon City; Legislature and Petition, Mrs. R. B. Robinson, Kansas City; narcotics, Mrs. F. H. Ingalls, St. Louis; Flower Mission, Miss M. Phillips, Lakeman; Parlor Meetings, Mrs. B. Kimball, Kirkwood; Communion Wine, Mrs. E. C. Geraus, Harrisonville; report State organizer, Mrs. H. B. Harford, Kansas City; Treasurer's report, Mrs. J. M. Glazier, Savannah; Corresponding Secretary's report, Miss E. D. Morris, Kansas City; reports from the Thirteenth and Fourteenth districts will be received, and Miss Julia Leavens of Chicago will give a talk on Physical Culture.

In the evening the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union will be discussed and a report received from the superintendent, Mrs. Alice Williams of Cameron. A Demorest medal contest will follow.

ON FRIDAY

officers will be elected for the ensuing year, delegates will be elected to the national convention and the next place of meeting will be decided upon at the morning session. In the afternoon the Committee on Resolutions will report and there will be debates on organization, county and local unions, and methods of work.

VOTE FOR BURNET THIS EVENING.

CASS COUNTY FOR LOVE.

The Delegation Instructed to Support Him for Railroad Commissioner.

This morning R. A. Love, candidate for the office of State Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner, arrived in the city and registered at the Laclede. Mr. Love said that he had just come from the Cass County Convention, and was able to state that after a brisk skirmish he had succeeded in carrying the delegation. While at the Laclede a number of well-known politicians called upon Mr. Love and promised him their support.

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A Residence for Archbishop Kenrick.

The committee appointed by the Marquette Club to prepare plans for a $50,000 residence for Archbishop Kenrick, to be presented on the venerable prelate's golden jubilee, met last night, Mr. G. Farrish in the chair. The details were discussed at length and a report was prepared which will be submitted to a general meeting of Catholic citizens to be held at St. John's Library Hall. There will be no difficulty as to funds, and work is to be commenced almost immediately.

EVERY bottle of Phos-Ferrone has name blown in bottle—imitations have not.

Acquitted on Trial.

After spending all of yesterday afternoon and the early part of the evening in argument the jury in the case of the State against Gustave Weber agreed on a verdict, which by order of the court was sealed and delivered to the Clerk, who opened it this morning. It found the defendant not guilty. Weber was under indictment for assault to do great bodily harm, it being alleged that he November 18 last assaulted one Wm. Roberts, cutting him with a knife.

VOTE FOR BURNET WITHOUT FAIL.

Missing From Kansas City.

Mrs. B. W. Hudson, living at 1101 Woodland street, in Kansas City, now writes to Chief Huebler for information concerning her husband who, she thinks, is in St. Louis. Hudson became despondent on account of inability to secure work, and left home on last Wednesday. He formerly lived in St. Louis near Shaw's Garden, and may have gone to his old home. Hudson is 28 years old and of steady habits.

To-night Frances Willard lectures at Pickwick Theater. Admission 25 cents.

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And damaged by water. The entire basement of Wear-Boogher Dry Goods Co. was flooded by water last Sunday, where many thousands of dollars' worth of dry goods were stored.

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7½c—40-inch Apron Victoria Lawn, worth 12½c.

Towels.

11c—Huckaback Towels, slightly wet; worth 15c.
19c—Huckaback Towels, slightly wet, worth 25c.

Corsets.

49c—French Woven and other Corsets, slightly soiled, worth $1.00.

Table Linens.

29c—Cream Damask Table Linens, slightly wet, worth 45c.
33c—Cream Damask Table Linen, slightly wet, worth 50c.
49c—Cream Damask Table Linen, 72-inch wide, worth 75c.

Muslin Underwear.

21c—Linen Lace-Trimmed Chemise, slightly soiled, worth 35c.
21c—Tucked Muslin Drawers, yoke bands, slightly soiled, worth 35c.
46c—Muslin Skirts, trimmed, Hambnrg embroidery, cluster tucks, worth 75c.

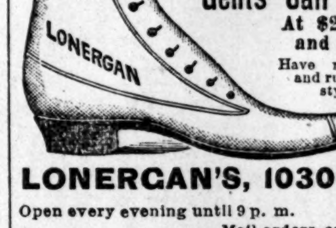
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OUR NEIGHBORS.

Items of Interest Gathered From Adjacent Towns.

Mascoutah, Ill., May 19.—The Musical Union will give an entertainment at the Central Turners' Hall Monday evening, May 26.——Rev. Wies, the new pastor of the Evangelical Protestant Church, conducted the services yesterday at that church.——Mr. and Mrs. George Postel are visiting relatives in Quincy.——Several hundred people from this city and vicinity attended the county centennial celebration at Belleville Saturday.——Messrs. Fred Datham and Fred Griesmer left yesterday for Denver.——The public school picnic will be held at the school park next Monday.——Dr. and Mrs. Rembe of Fayetteville visited here last week.——Mr. John Ph. Postel made a business trip to St. Louis today.——Mr. George H. Leibrock made his regular semi-monthly visit to St. Louis Sunday.

Newport, Ark., May 19.—Miss Lillie Givens is visiting at Searcy.——Capt. G. W. Decker has returned from Keokuk, Io.——Miss Joyce and Miss Kate Joyce are visiting friends in Batesville.——Rev. Geo. Ogle of Murfreesborough, Tenn., was in town last week.——Rev. Mr. Pipkin, of the M. E. Church at Newport, will return Wednesday from St. Louis, where he has been attending the session of the General Conference. He will be accompanied by Dr. Anderson, whose many friends in Newport will give him a warm welcome.——The festival and musicale to be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church has been postponed until Friday of next week.

THE best tonic in use for children is Phos-Ferrone. Have a case sent home.

Obituary.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

ALTON, Ill., May 20.—Dr. Homer Judd died at the family residence in Upper Alton this morning at an early hour. The deceased was 70 years of age, and was a prominent dentist, and at one time the President of the Dentist Association of Illinois. The remains will be taken to Pittsfield, Ill., for burial.

ALTON, Ill., May 20.—Geo. W. Lowder died at 8 o'clock this morning at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. N. Squire, at 608 East Fifteenth street. The deceased resided in Jersey County and was one of its oldest residents, having been County Clerk for twenty years and being prominent in the politics of that county. He came to this city about a week ago on a visit to his daughter and this morning, after eating a hearty breakfast, while sitting in his easy chair, he suddenly died without a struggle. He was 86 years of age.

CARTHAGE, Mo., May 20.—Col. Sidney M. Barnes died at 8 o'clock last night at his residence on South Main street. He had suffered for years from chronic rheumatism, but on Sunday burst a blood vessel while coughing. Deceased was Colonel of the Eighth Kentucky Volunteer Infantry during the Civil war. For several years he was United States Attorney in New Mexico, and was renowned as a man of great legal ability. He was 69 years old. His remains will be taken to Fort Smith, Ark., for burial.

WHY use sour cream when you can get Highland Evaporated Cream?

Amusements.

"For Russia," a drama by Miss Cora Lowe Marceau, will be presented to-morrow evening at the Grand Opera-house by a first class company. The title of the drama describes the plot, the scenes, etc. Miss Marceau is a promising young amateur actress and authoress of this city who has appeared in a number of performances given by local talent. The play is said by those who have read it to be remarkably strong and full of thrilling scenes and incidents. It is confidently expected that it will be a success.

Look at These Rates to the North and West.

The Burlington Route will sell tickets from St. Louis at the following rates until further notice:

Kansas City and St. Joseph	$1 00
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Pueblo	5 00
Colorado Springs	5 00
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WAITERS' STRIKE.

Thirty-five Men Demand an Increase in Wages.

The waiters at the three Delicatessen establishments, 718 Olive street, 118 North Fourth street and 716 Broadway, struck this morning for an increase in pay. Mr. Walter Sprague said that he refused to grant their demand because the men went to work at 11 o'clock in the morning and got their breakfast, quit at 2:30 o'clock and got their dinner, and for that time they were paid 50 cents. They asked for 75 cents, which would make a difference to him of $300 a month. He said their work was easy, compared to the work of waiters in other restaurants, for it was all counter service, and their material was right at their hands. Mr. Sprague thought the strike was the result of the waiters' strike in Chicago. The places of the strikers are being supplied.

Thirty-five men went out. They say that waiters elsewhere receive what they ask for, and they think they should have it.

VOTE FOR BURNET AS YOU GO HOME.

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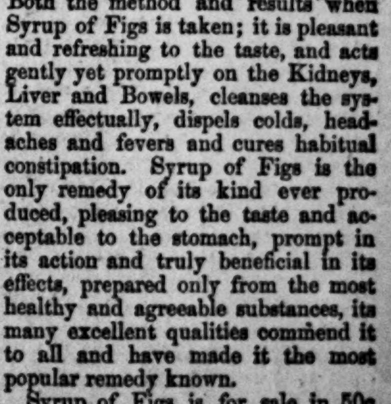
CARLYLE, Ill., May 20.—Mr. Wm. J. Sonin, a prominent business man, and Miss Louisa, daughter of H. Bruemmer, a wealthy citizen of Carlyle, were married in this city to-day, Rev. A. Demming officiating.

MOTHERS will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup best remedy for children. 25c a bottle.

Kissed by George Washington

DETROIT, Mich., May 20.—Polly Croul Carlisle, born in New York in 1792, died here yesterday. She remembered very distinctly Gen. Lafayette's triumphant visit to this country, and when a baby was kissed by and trotted on the knee of Gen. Washington.

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April 6	60,470
April 13	63,500
April 20	64,800
April 27	63,720
May 4	65,930
May 11	**85,720**
HIGH-WATER MARK.	
May 18	**178,060**

TEN PAGES.

TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1890.

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for Missouri: Warmer, southerly winds; fair weather, followed by rain in northern portion to-night.

BLUE

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for St. Louis: Fair; warmer.

NO GOOD citizen should allow the polls to close to-day without casting a ballot for BURNET.

THE schoolmarms will have good reason to be astonished beyond measure at the number of their friends.

ONLY one more vote Sunday in that greatest of popular elections—the lady teachers' contest of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

THE judges in the trip-to-Europe contest of the lady teachers and the rules they have adopted are absolute guarantees of fair play to all candidates.

THE closing hours of to-day's balloting should be marked by heavy voting for honesty and capacity in office and decency in municipal politics. This is the Burnet platform.

THE success of Street Commissioner BURNET to-day will mean the defeat of a disreputable and tyrannical gang of political bosses. No good citizen can afford to neglect his right of voting to-day.

THE polls will be open until 7 o'clock this evening, and by that hour every qualified voter should have a ballot cast for President of the Board of Public Improvements. Citizens who have the best interests of the city at heart should vote for Street Commissioner BURNET.

THE sum of $10,861 of the money stolen from the State Treasury by ex-Treasurer NOLAND remains unpaid. Ex-Gov. MOREHOUSE, who has been trying to fix things out of court, declares that he is done with negotiations. Is there any reason that the State should be longer kept out of money to which it is entitled by law?

MR. GLADSTONE'S shot at the pharisaical hypocrisy of Englishmen who protest against Russian cruelties while winking at Irish wrongs has struck home. It has raised a storm of British indignation about the old statesman's ears, but the mass of the British people will see the force of the parallel and its bearing on home rule.

IT is easy to believe the worst that is told of the influence of the lottery in Louisiana when we remember that the POST-DISPATCH in its crusade against lottery advertising in St. Louis did not receive one sign of assistance from any one of the officials who had sworn to enforce the law daily broken and insulted by the lottery swindlers.

NO ONE knows what is the income of the Louisiana lottery swindle, but it is commonly estimated in this city that St. Louis alone contributes about $75,000 a month to its receipts. This tax paid by idiots and simpletons is a total loss, not one dollar in a hundred ever returning to the poor fools who send it, and St. Louis would be richer by nearly a million dollars a year if the swindle was stopped.

A GREAT many of the bright school children of St. Louis, who see their favorite teacher too far from the front in the voting contest, are trying to improve the situation by sending her to Europe as the result of a successful guess at the number of votes cast for the winner. This is a bright idea which we recommend to the imitation of those who have not thought of it already. It has the great merit of not costing anything.

THE WILD AND WOOLLY EAST.

The disposition of people in the East to break the restraining bonds of social order and take the laws in their own hands is sad proof of the fact that civilization has not yet accomplished its perfect work there. The fastnesses of the rugged mountains in New York, the vast sand wastes of New Jersey and the uninhabited farming lands of New England exert a strong, although perhaps unconscious influence upon the natures of the people, giving them a sense of freedom from restraint, reviving the barbarism of nomadic life and making them at times the children of impulses and passions.

The influences which work against organized society are shown in the outbreaks of the personal vengeance idea, in which guns, pistols, knives and horsewhips figure as means of redress instead of the proper legal methods. In yesterday's POST-DISPATCH the telegraph gave accounts of the brutal whipping of an erring woman by another woman, who was backed in her violent assault by two men with drawn revolvers, in Camden, N. J.; of the whipping of the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen in the town of Wellfleet, Mass., by a young married woman whom he had slandered; of the stabbing of a man by a woman while defending her honor in New York, and of the terrible torturing of a boy 10 years of age by two companions in Manchester, N. H. In the north woods of New York State the families of WOOD and PASCO are now carrying on a mortal feud which resulted the other day in the killing of a PASCO.

These occurrences disgrace the East in the minds of the people of the rest of the country. The elements which favor law and order in that section should combine to discourage and check such lawlessness. Perhaps if the Eastern editors would quit training their field glasses over the West and South looking for subjects of high moral lectures, and would pay some attention to their home crimes, beneficial improvement might result.

BAYNE of Pennsylvania read in the House, and thus had printed, a letter abusing and slandering BYNUM of Indiana and WILSON of West Virginia, who had both published an affidavit that the author of the letter had sworn to a lie about a conversation he had with them. BYNUM expressed his opinion that BAYNE had put himself on a level with the perjurer by reading and indorsing that letter. The majority in Congress, instead of censuring BAYNE for his unparliamentary conduct, demanded a retraction and apology from BYNUM, and formally censured him for not giving it. Then, after two or three days' delay, BAYNE apologized by saying that he had not seen the evidence against the writer of the letter till after the row in the House, and was sorry that he had read the letter. But this apology from BAYNE only makes more apparent the grossly partisan action of the Republican majority with reference to the Bayne-Bynum affair. An apology for that is due to the country from the ruling party in the House.

THE foolishness of the Secretary of the Navy in keeping the Squadron of Evolution in European waters, while the officers are dancing and feasting, is made manifest by the situation at Cedar Keys, Fla. The Mayor of that town with nothing except a shotgun and a swamp to help him is now in high and successful rebellion against the authorities of the United States. The revenue cutter McLane has her guns trained on all the open spaces around the town and sixteen marines are trying to chase Mayor COTTRELL into one of them, but so far without success. The situation is critical and the entire strength of the Navy may be required to settle the unpleasantness.

PRESIDENT AULER has called a special meeting of the School Board for Friday evening to receive the reports of the board's officials and committees and to transact other necessary school business. President AULER and his friends in the board have been exceedingly remiss in attention to their duties, but there is no reason that the so-called Miller faction should not join in that meeting for the primary purpose of relieving the school work of its present paralysis and securing the funds necessary for the maintenance of the schools for the ensuing year. Whatever else the board may do is of small moment to the public.

THE young railroad man who forcibly embraced and kissed a negro girl on a wager and is now under arrest for assault and battery serves as a terrible example of the folly of kissing on wagers or of railroading in matters of that kind. The man who is foolish enough to attempt to win a bet by kissing the first woman he meets not only acts the hoodlum, but is liable to pay out more than his wager in police court fines or doctors' bills. In some cases doctors are unable to resuscitate victims of this silly craze when the relatives or friends of the women insulted get through with them.

THE wholesome precept of an experienced Missouri Colonel, "Never sit down in a bar room," is interpreted in the West as a warning against staying in bar rooms till the legs become tired and perpendicularity difficult. But the regulators of the liquor traffic in Boston have issued an order that the bars in drinking places shall be removed or fenced in and that the drinks shall be served only at small tables. This will interfere with the fashion of "treating the crowd" at the bar, but nothing will be gained if, at the same time, it promotes tarrying at the wine and lingering in bar rooms.

MEN OF MARK.

EX-GOV. FORAKER is said to have gone into the railroad business.

YOUNG EMPEROR WILHELM is said to look wretched about half the time.

LLOYD GEORGE, a new member of the English House of Commons, is the son of a village cobbler.

M. JULES FERRY has shaved off his side whiskers which the caricaturists have made so familiar.

J. R. PITMAM, prompter at the Boston Museum, has filled that position for thirty-five years.

DR. GATLING, inventor of the gun which bears his name, is 86 years old and lives at Hartford.

GEORGE AUGUSTUS SALA is paid $10,000 a year by the London *Telegraph* for writing four editorials a week.

SENATOR JOSEPH E. BROWN of Georgia is said to have decided to resign his seat on account of continued ill-health.

"GEORGE HARRIS," of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" fame, now an old and white-haired man, is lecturing in Washington and its vicinity.

GEN. JOSEPH E. JOHNSTON, one of the surviving heroes of the Lost Cause, is 84, but as buoyant and as active as a man of 50.

JAMES CARLYLE, brother of Thomas Carlyle, has just died in London. He was the highest authority in all England on small wild wood and house vermin.

M. NACQUET, the French Deputy, who is an intimate of Boulanger, is a humpback and was in great request at Monte Carlo by luck-hunters during his stay there.

THEODORE HALLAM of Covington, Ky., who is mentioned for John G. Carlisle's place in Congress, now that the latter goes to the Senate, is "a fellow of infinite jest" and a rare story-teller.

MR. RICHARD VAUX, the probable successor of Sam Randall, is described as a splendid specimen of physical manhood, bearing the weight of his 74 years with the jaunty, springy step of 40. He wears a full beard and mustache. He still takes vigorous physical exercise, indulges in cold baths and never wears an overcoat, carries an umbrella or rides in a horse car.

WOMEN OF THE WORLD.

THE Queen of the Belgians is one of the best equestrians in that country.

MRS. JOHN E. OWENS is writing a biography of her husband, the comedian.

ELSIE HALL, a 12-year-old pianiste from Australia, is attracting attention in London.

MARIE LESEUR, who was a famous dancer seventy years ago, has died in Holland at the age of 91.

MRS. GRANT says that Mrs. Cleveland was the only lady who had an enjoyable residence in the White House.

MISS BELLE SMITH, recently appointed resident physician at the woman's prison in Sherborn, Mass., is but 23 years old.

"MARION HARLAND," Mrs. Mary V. H. Terhune of Brooklyn, is a tall woman of gracious manner and dignified presence.

MRS. IDA A. HARPER has retired from the editorial chair of the Terre Haute *News*, and is a candidate for member of the City School Board.

MRS. M. A. SCHAEFER of Monroe, Ga., has held the Post-office at that place for twenty-three years, and has never lost a day on account of illness.

DISS DEBAR, late high priestess of spiritualistic humbuggery in New York, has been trying to work old Rome. By swindling an hotel-keeper she fell into the hands of the law.

LADY COLIN CAMPBELL, who has decided to give the stage a lift, is described as a beauty of the Spanish type, six feet in height, and an expert in every sport known to women in England.

MISS NELLIE ARTHUR, daughter of the late President Arthur, has developed into a beautiful young lady, with a brilliant complexion, large, soft, brown eyes, and a graceful figure.

MISS ALICE G. MCGEE, 21 years old, who was admitted to practice in Warren County (Pa.) courts last week, is said to have passed the best examination held in that county in ten years.

OUT of five gold medals offered to the graduating class in arts at the McGill University, Montreal, the girls won three and did not compete for the other two.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

L. G.—There is no premium on a half-dollar of 1853.

BEATRICE.—February 6 fell on Tuesday in the year 1872.

VINEGAR.—No premium is quoted on a quarter dollar of 1836.

HERCULES.—Call at this office to obtain the information desired.

A. B. C.—The scene of the play you refer to is laid in England.

OLD SUBSCRIBER.—No import duty on either wheat or corn is charged on American shipments to England.

OLD READER.—The Morrill bill in regard to pensioners has not yet been passed by either house of Congress.

SUBSCRIBER.—The proper manner for you to proceed is to lay your plan before the Board of Public Improvements.

J. W. K.—Shaw's Garden is open for six days in the week, never on Sunday. There is no charge for admission.

SUBSCRIBER.—There is no official diplomatic language in Europe. French is most frequently used, but it has lost the position it once held.

READER.—The names of the school principals you ask about are Ben Blewett, Stoddard; Fanny M. Bacon, Franklin; W. H. Wilcox, Lyon.

J. W. T.—1. The population of the United States and of the city of St. Louis can not be ascertained until the census is taken. 2. Your handwriting is decidedly bad.

NOVICE.—1. The comparative merits of pianos cannot be determined in this column. 2. You must decide for yourself which of the cities mentioned offers the best business advantages.

SOUTH SIDE SUBSCRIBER.—1. Neither the bride nor the groom are expected to furnish the bridemaidsdresses, but the bride usually presents some souvenir to the groomsmen and the groom to the bridemaids. 2. The groom provides the bridemaids' bouquets. 3. The bride usually remains in retirement for the week immediately preceding her marriage.

City of Great Fees and Great Feet.

From the Cleveland Leader.

Dr. C. T. Parker, a Chicago physician, has received a fee of $25,000 for less than a month's attendance on a patient who was affected with a cancer in the face.

Mr. F. L. Marshall,

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WORLD AND WHISKY

Topics Considered by the M. E. Church South General Conference.

A Deliverance on Dancing, Card-Playing and Theater-Going Adopted.

The Difficulties of the Liquor Question Overcome by a Shrewd Committee—"Emphatically a Prohibition Church"—Condemnation of the Whisky Power—Marriages of Divorced Persons Prohibited—Stories of Heathen Rulers That Point a Moral—Dr. Philpots' Anti-Tobacco Crusade Not Indorsed—Warm Discussions.

The M. E. Church South General Conference to-day heard some interesting reports and had it not got into a wrangle on the worldliness matter would have accomplished a great deal of business.

The committee's report on the marriages of divorced persons (save the innocent party to a divorce for one scriptural cause) was adopted.

Bishop Ninde, who is interested in the promotion of the Ecumenical Conference of 1891, was introduced to the General Conference.

The Committee on Appeals remanded the case of G. L. W. Arnold to the White River Conference for retrial.

AMUSEMENTS CONDEMNED.

The Committee on the Spiritual State of the Church, which was instructed to prepare a condemnation of worldliness for insertion in the Discipline, reported in twelve manuscript pages condemning dancing, card playing, theater going, attendance on race courses and circuses.

H. V. Philpott of Texas, who on Saturday sought to secure consideration for a resolution condemning the use of tobacco or opium, especially by ministers of the church (which resolution was indefinitely postponed) got on his feet immediately and moved an amendment. After the general rule against amusements he wanted the following words inserted, "of softness and needless self-indulgence, especially in the use of tobacco and opium."

Speaking to his amendment, Dr. Philpott said: "I do not see why we should meddle with dancing in any form, with theater-going in any genteel form, while other and more vicious habits are not condemned, are not mentioned."

The point was made by Anson West of Birmingham, Ala., that the matter of the amendment was the same as of the resolution indefinitely postponed on Saturday.

The chair held the point well taken and Dr. Phillpott was refused further hearing on the subject. He objected to being shut off and finally, when the shut up was inevitable, he said:

"I want it to go forth to the world that this General Conference refuses to consider the subject."

T. J. Duncan of Tennessee, author of the original resolutions on worldliness, which caused all the discussion and war, moved an amendment to the report providing for a change in the Discipline, but he was declared out of order. He fought hard, but was defeated. He condemned the report as having glossed over the evils it was supposed to condemn. There was a disposition growing in the church to cover up concessions to worldliness. "If there is a pill in that report," Dr. Duncan shouted, "it has been so sugar-coated that you'll never taste it."

Subsequently Dr. Duncan got consideration of a motion to refer back the report with instructions to the committee to report back an amendment to the Discipline prohibiting "promiscuous dancing, card playing, theater going," etc.

Rev. E. E. Hoss wanted the utterance of the church against worldliness to include racing, owing, raising and selling race horses, manipulating land booms, buying and selling lottery tickets, renting buildings in which the liquor traffic is carried on, and owning or editing Sunday papers.

There was a seemingly endless debate on trivial matters. When it came to the time for a vote, after the previous question was ordered, there was an uninteresting debate as to what was before the house. Bishop Hargrove, anxious to hurt no one, could not decide, and the wrangle went on.

The amendment of Dr. Hoss was lost. Dr. Peterson's motion was lost. The report of the Committee on the Spiritual State of the Church was then adopted by a large vote.

While the last vote was being taken Chairman Tiggert of the last named committee asked of T. J. Duncan, "Why did you make that attack?"

"Because I was right. You ought to know I was right. You know how the church will regard it."

W. H. Goodale, Chairman of the Committee on Temperance, submitted the following report

ON TEMPERANCE.

"*To the Bishops and Brethren of the General Conference M. E. Church South:*

"Your Committee on Temperance begs leave to submit this report which is intended to cover matters of more general character than those treated of in former reports.

"For the first time the Committee on Temperance of the General Conference is made a standing committee it andconstituted in common with other standing committees of one member from each annual conference.

"We have endeavored, in a sort of 'temperance experience meeting,' to elicit information from all the States, and, so far as practicable, from all the conferences upon everything relating to the subject of temperance, but more especially upon the attitude of our church, and of its members, towards the use of intoxicating beverages, their manufacture and sale, their license or prohibition. We have even extended the inquiry to the character of the laws upon the subject in the different States represented, their various degrees of efficiency, the causes that operate to secure or impede their effectual working, and the part taken by our church members in securing the passage and enforcement of such laws.

"We may state in a general way the results of our gleanings from these various fields, as follows:

"First—We are convinced that if any more advanced position is possible for any church (any position we mean that comes within the province of a church) than the one which the Methodist Episcopal Church South occupies to-day upon the questions of temperance and prohibition, our membership is ready at once to take it.

A PROHIBITION CHURCH.

"We are emphatically a prohibition church. We stand out squarely and before the whole world, certainly in theory, and for the most part in practice, for the complete suppression of the liquor traffic. We offer no compromise to and seek no terms from a sin of this heinous quality. We are opposed to all forms of license of this iniquity whether the same be 'high' or 'low.' It cannot be put so 'high' that the prayers of God's people for its suppression will not rise above it, nor so 'low,' though it makes its bed in hell, that the shrieks of the souls lost through its accursed agency will not descend beneath it.

"Ranavalona, the Queen of Madagascar, when converted to Christianity, in the very year in which the State of Massachusetts took a half million dollars revenue for strong drink, wrote in her proclamation: 'I cannot consent, as your Queen, to derive any revenue from that which destroys the souls and bodies of my subjects.'

"The Emperor of China, though but a boy of 19 years of age, when urged to derive a revenue from the trade in opium, already forced upon his people by Christian (!) England, indignantly replied: 'It is true, I cannot prevent the introduction of the fatal poison, gain-seeking and corrupt men will, for profit and sensuality, defeat my wishes, but nothing will induce me to derive a revenue from the vice and misery of my people.'

"Our people, we believe, are ready to take a stand as far advanced, at least, as that occupied by these heathens to whom our missionaries are sent.

"Upon this question only about two years ago Bishop McTyeire said in the *Texas Christian Advocate*: 'The whisky power must be put under or it will put us under. The battle has begun and there is no retreat or parley, and submission is intolerable. More than ever I am for the final and extreme measure of prohibition since witnessing the developments of the whisky power in the struggle for life. All its malignity comes out. It stands exposed and without disguise.'

THE WHISKY POWER.

"These words of our dead father in Israel come back to us like a voice from the spirit land, loud and clear as a tocsin struck at midnight, and the church of God takes up his battle cry: 'The whisky power must be put under or it will put us under,' and through the mists and shadows that envelop the tomb of him whose memory we revere we seem to hear his voice: 'See to it, oh, my people, that the church of God strike not its colors in this war for souls.'

"Second—The form of inquiry pursued by us developed the gratifying fact that in most sections there is very little drinking among our membership.

"Our brother from the Indian Territory told us that when an Indian church member takes a drink he calls it 'joining out,' and when the preacher opens the door of the church again and he joins again he calls it 'joining in.' Would to God that all our members had as clearly defined ideas of the fitness of things.

"In contrast to this, however, one brother mentioned the case where the Governor had removed from office a county officer for drunkenness, and the man thus removed is still undisturbed in his church membership. We trust this case is very exceptional. Our people in this struggle cannot be weighted down with drunkards or with moderate drinkers. They are not of us, but of the enemy, and this fact should be distinctly recognized. We owe them nothing except our prayers.

"Third—We are able to state from the investigation made, that for the most part our church members throw the full weight of their influence and authority as voters against licensing the liquor traffic. Surely as Christian men they can do no less. And yet we quote the words of one brother, reaffirmed by many: 'Beyond doubt, if all the church members would only do their duty, we could carry our State for Prohibition every time.' Oh, that our people would realize that the measure of their responsibility is not merely the good or evil accomplished or prevented by them, but the good they might do and the evil they might prevent if all their powers were consecrated to the service of Christ.

"Fourth—The testimony was uniform and unvarying as to the fidelity of our preachers to the cause of temperance. They do not always, like that greatest preacher of them all, when having but a single opportunity to preach the gospel to the same audience, place the theme of 'Temperance' between 'Righteousness' and 'Judgment to Come,' and reason till the very throne of evil trembles at the power of truth. Yet, in the vast majority of cases, the preachers of our church recognize gospel temperance as the legitimate theme for the Christian pulpit, and fulminate the decrees of God against the use of intoxicants, with an earnestness and eloquence born of sincere conviction.

THE DOCTRINE OF TEMPERANCE.

"In the words of one of our bishops, 'If to preach the doctrine of temperance, and to preach against the open saloon as the source of most of our social, industrial and moral evils, and therefore the greatest enemy of the Christian religion and of the Church of God, is to be 'a political partisan,' you may publish me as one not only in your prayers but on the housetops; and by me stand 3,000 Methodist preachers, not a dozen of whom would refuse to vote for a measure to prohibit the matchless evil of the age.'

"Fifth—The testimony was unvarying as to the valuable work of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the cause of temperance. 'Why,' said one brother, 'we have pretty much given over the temperance work to the women since we got beat in our State. They were beat, too, but they never could find it out as we men could.' God bless these noble women in their noble work! They bend beneath the storm of adversity only to rise again in the might of God's eternal truth—the stronger for the time thus spent upon their knees. They are our wives, our mothers, our daughters and sisters, and every thought of our hearts for them is love.

"Finally, permit us to close this report with the words of Bishop Galloway: 'The cause is moving on and will triumph. The world can scarcely present a parallel to the majestic speed of its march. The people have decreed it—the saloons must go. If not to-day, tomorrow. It is a question of conscience, of principle, of duty to God and the brotherhood of man.'"

The report was ingeniously written, in that it committed the church to prohibition in such way that those who feared such action would involve the church in politics were disarmed. A contest was expected, but there was not a word of opposition. The report was applauded when the reading was concluded, a thing that has not been done before in the General Conference. The vote to adopt the report was unanimous.

PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

This Morning's Session Given Up to Hearing Committee Reports.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 20.—This morning's session of the Presbyterian General Assembly was occupied in hearing committee reports and listening to prosy addresses. The reports, with a single exception, were promptly adopted without debate and the assembly displayed more impatience than at any time since it convened. The committee on bills and overtures reported an overture from the Presbytery of Philadelphia concerning the celebration of the fifth semi-centennial of the adoption of the Westminster confession. The committee recommends the assembly to refer the matter to the Pan-Presbyterian Council when it meets in 1892. Adopted. An overture from the Presbytery of Olympia, asking the division of the synod of Columbia and the organization of the Synod of Washington, comprising the presbyteries of Idaho, Washington Olympia and Alaska, was approved by the committee. The report was adopted after desultory discussion, in which it was shown that the object of the division was because of the vast territory embraced in the present synod. With regard to the overture from the Presbytery of Bismarck on lotteries, the committee report that the Presbyterian Church denounces the various influence of lotteries and all other forms of gambling, etc. Adopted. A memorial of ministers and elders in Oklahoma asking to be placed in the Presbytery of Chickasaw the committee approves.

Rev. H. S. Littio, D. D., of Texas read the report of the Board of Home Missions. The board has organized two Sunday-schools per day during the past year and every second day a church. This was accomplished at an average cost of $450 per minister. In New Mexico and Texas many Roman Catholics are joining the Presbyterian Church. The work of the Women's Executive Committee during the year was especially effective. It raised the sum of $286,867, as against $246,560 raised by all the churches. The committee reported against the overture of the Presbytery of Marion, Synod of Ohio, concerning the return of certain moneys. A motion was made to adopt and Rev. Wm. Irwin, D. D., of New York, one of the corresponding secretaries of the board proceeded to address the assembly on the subject. The report was adopted and a recess taken until 2:30 p. m. Consideration of the Board of Publications report is the first order for this afternoon. It is expected it will stir up a lively debate. Two reports were submitted, one of which, made by a special committee, charges gross extravagance on the part of the board. Dr. Crosby is chairman of the board and R. R. Simmons of New Jersey chairman of the special committee.

The question of revision is still in its preliminary stage. The committee on methods of changing the constitution will come in with its second report Thursday morning, when the debate will be renewed, and, it is expected, will be more on the question direct than the debate already had. The committee was in session several hours this morning wrestling with the knotty point—the adopting act problem.

A BRUTAL MURDER.

Barney Benson Kills Jerry Sweeney in Chicago This Morning.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—Wild with rage and insane with drink, Barney Benson committed a most brutal murder shortly before 2 o'clock this morning. Jerry Sweeney was the victim. The murder was the result of a quarrel which occurred in a saloon Sunday night. Benson is foreman of the National Boiler Works. Some time ago he discharged Sweeney, who worked under him. Sunday night they met in a saloon and, both being under the influence of liquor, soon got into a fight in which Benson was badly beaten. Both men continued to drink all day, and last night they met in another saloon, and but for the interference of friends would have had another fight. Between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning Benson was on his way home when he met Sweeney. Benson drew a revolver, called him a coward and began to shoot at him. He had shot three times when Sweeney attempted to take the revolver from his antagonist and was knocked down in his effort. Benson, placing his foot on the prostrate man's neck, deliberately fired two bullets through his heart. Sweeney died almost instantly and Benson fled.

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THE GAS CONVENTION.

THE WESTERN GAS-LIGHT ASSOCIATION TO ASSEMBLE TO-MORROW.

Questions of Importance to Gas Manufacturers to Be Discussed—Gas and the Electric Light—Some Facts About the Manufacture and Sale of Gas—The Business Increasing in Volume.



THIS morning the delegates to the annual meeting of the Western Gaslight Association began to arrive. Quite a contingent registered at the Lindell, and many more will reach the city this evening. Among the arrivals was C. R. Fabon of Toledo, O., President of the association. The convention will meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning in the ladies' ordinary of the Lindell Hotel, and will continue in session for two or three days.

THIS EVENING SEVERAL COMMITTEE meetings will be held, and the work to be done mapped out in a general way. Representatives of all Western gas manufactories will be present, and the discussions will take a wide range. All matters of interest to gas producers and consumers brought before the convention will be considered, particular attention being paid to new appliances and improved methods of manufacture.

A member of the convention said to a representative of the POST-DISPATCH this morning: "The object of our meeting is simply to discuss subjects of interest to all gas manufacturers, to exchange ideas and to learn what new inventions have been successfully applied in the different works.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT

will come up incidentally for consideration, but the gas men are not nearly so much afraid of it as some imagine. Nearly every large gas light company now makes more or less use of electricity, and we all have come to the conclusion that there is plenty of room without disastrous clashing. For many uses electricity will undoubtedly supplant gas, but new avenues are constantly being opened to the latter, improvements in modes of manufacture and discoveries as to better means of utilizing the bye products are constantly being made, greatly lessening the cost of production, and altogether there seems to be no possibility of the gas business being ruined. We used to be afraid that the general introduction of the electric light would be very disastrous to the gas trade, but this fear is no longer entertained. Statistics prove that more gas per capita is being used now than ever before. It is the old story of the sewing machine over again.

WHAT WE LOSE IN LIGHTNING,

and this is much smaller in amount than is generally supposed, we more than make up in the increase of the employment of gas as a fuel. Then the bye products are of far greater importance than they formerly were, as scarcely anything is now allowed to go to waste. In a large and well regulated establishment the bye products will very nearly if not quite pay for the cost of the coal and the expense of production, so that the sale of gas is only required to meet the interest and wear and tear on the plant, the expense of meters and management and the dividends of stockholders. As a matter of fact, it costs little or nothing to make the gas, as the coal and labor is paid for by the coke, oil, tar and other residues. Inventors have been very busy, and a great many important improvements in methods of treatment are made every year. Few fear the competition of water gas any longer. At these annual meetings the results of the experiments made at the different works are explained and discussed, and great benefit to the trade results."

SOCIETY GOSSIP.

Mrs. James B. True is at Lebanon Springs.

Mrs. G. P. Hosmer of St. Joseph is with friends in the city.

Mrs. Judge Dale has returned to her home in Edwardsville, Ill.

Mrs. John Stout has returned after an absence of a week.

Mrs. Peter Oakes returned on Friday from a visit in the country.

Mrs. F. M. Chapman of Chicago is a guest of friends in the city.

Miss Julia Hodgen has returned from visiting friends in the country.

Miss Lillian White has gone to Lebanon Springs for a week or ten days.

Miss Papin of Pine street is visiting Miss Mamie Miles at Vincennes, Ind.

Miss Julia Buckmaster of Alton is spending a few days in the city this week.

Miss Delia Bryant of Kirkwood is the guest of Mrs. Scott Fleming this week.

Miss Ella Carter of Lexington, Mo., is on a short visit to friends in this city.

Miss Izie Gooden of this city is visiting the family of her aunt at Ft. Leavenworth.

Miss Bessie Craft and Miss Laura Koehler spent Sunday with friends at Florissant.

Judge and Mrs. James A. Siddon returned on Saturday from a brief visit to relatives.

Mrs. Elizabeth Robeson and children have returned home from their visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dent Tutt have returned from their visit to Rev. Dr. Maderia of Indianapolis.

Prof. Alferd G. Robyn will leave the early part of June for Europe, to be gone all summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Mudd of the Belvedere left on Saturday to visit relatives in Illinois.

Miss Nannie Overstreet is entertaining this week two young lady friends from Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rumsey leave early in June to occupy their cottage at Lake Minnetonka.

Mrs. Wm. P. Bradshaw of Edwardsville, Ill., was in the city last week, the guest of friends.

Mrs. Staunton Ennis and little girl left last week to spend the summer months at De Soto, Mo.

Miss Francis Willard will be entertained this week by Mrs. F. H. Ingalls; also by Mrs. Clara Hoffman.

Miss Lelia Herndon of Carrollton, Mo., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilkerson of Pine street.

Miss Carrie Nettleton returned this morning from a visit to Mrs. Albert Watson at Mount Vernon, Ill.

Mrs. W. C. Hoye and little child arrived on Saturday from Kansas City, and are guests of friends in the city.

Miss Isle Goodin of Morgan street left last week to visit the family of Lieut. Reynolds at Fort Leavenworth.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Stephens are rejoicing over the addition to their family circle of a little baby girl.

Mrs. Lewis McCall of 2924 Washington avenue has been quite ill for several weeks past, but is now convalescent.

Miss Kennel will entertain the Mystic Club of the North End, on next Thursday evening, at 1818 North Jefferson avenue.

Mrs. McCormack of Chestnut street gave a childrens' party last Saturday morning, complimentary to her little daughter.

Misses Gisela and Grace Dittrick of Springfield, Mo., will arrive in the city next week to be the guests of Miss Lottie Wallace.

Mrs. Frank Caldwell, nee Grace Bevis, is expected to leave her home in Chicago this week to visit her parents in St. Louis.

The marriage of Miss Nellie T. Laflin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Laflin, to Mr. Scott M. Eagan, is announced to take place June 4.

Mrs. J. F. Coyle left the city Sunday night for Nebraska to visit relatives. She will be accompanied as far as Omaha by Mr. Coyle.

The marriage of Miss Adelaide Kaime to Mr. Frank Fisher will take place on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's Church.

Mr. Thos. E. Quinlivan, who has been an employe of the Santa Fe Railroad for the past year, is visiting his parents at his home, 2806 Dayton street.

Mr. Guy Lindsley will arrive on Thursday from New York City to spend the summer months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. De Coursey Lindsley.

Mrs. Pope White and her sister, Miss Lizzie Yeaman, left the city on Monday to visit their father and mother, Dr. and Mrs. Pope Yeaman of Columbia, Mo.

Mrs. Kate Isbell, who has been spending the winter in the city, at the Laclede Hotel, leaves this week to visit her son, Mr. Willis Isbell, in El Paso, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter, who have been spending the winter in Florida for the benefit of Mr. Hunter's health, have returned, his health much improved.

Mr. Andrew Ball of Manchester, England, reached St. Louis last week with the intention of spending some time here, and is located on Thirty-second and Pine streets.

Mrs. Wm. Holloway left this morning to spend the summer with her relatives in Virginia. Mr. Holloway is located at 3518 Washington avenue until her return.

Miss Mamie Breckenridge left home Thursday night for Las Vegas, where she will remain several months as the guest of her cousin, Miss Lulu Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Krause of Cincinnati, who have been guests of friends here, having come on to attend the Stix-Fraley wedding, left on Friday evening to return home.

Mrs. A. R. Warren and daughters will go to Europe June 1. They expect to spend the summer months in Scotland and will extend their visit to over a year abroad.

Mrs. Douglass Cook, who is in Boston visiting Mrs. Isaac Cook, return home next week. Her mother, Mrs. Henry Ruggles, is keeping house for her during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gibbons, who have been spending the winter in the South with Mrs. Gibbons' mother, have returned to the city and are located at 3517 Laclede avenue.

H. Sonnenfeld, who is now in Germany for the benefit of his health, writes to his friends here that he is progressing nicely and hopes to return soon with his health entirely restored.

Mr. Robt. A. Senecker of Brunswick was in St. Louis last week and left a few days ago, leaving his daughter, Miss Hattie Senecker, to remain for some time with friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Culver, Mrs. Scholl, Miss May Maughs, Mrs. C. B. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Montague and Miss Eva Maughs have gone to Fort Worth, Tex., to see the Spring Palace.

The Home of the Friendless on Carondelet avenue will hold their annual strawberry festival and reception on June 6. Large preparations are being made by the old people to receive their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Winn and their grandchildren, the little Lamberts, will go in a few days to the mountains of Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. John Winn will follow them June 1, Mr. Winn having purchased a summer home there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ewald of 3229 Pine street have given up their town residence with a view to spending the summer with their large family at Benton, having secured the old Clark mansion for the summer months.

Mrs. Edward Paramore left on Saturday to visit her relatives in Cleveland, O. Mr. Paramore left this morning to join her there, thence to New York. They will sail on the steamer Ems on Saturday next for Europe where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Bayless of 4350 Lindell avenue has issued cards for a large reception to be given on Thursday afternoon. She will be assisted in the entertaining by ten young ladies, among them Miss Loulu Quinnette, Miss Grace Leavenworth and Miss Lizzie Dozier.

Mrs. Carl Vogt of Burlington, Io., arrived on Saturday and will be in the city for several weeks, the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. P. J. Toomey and of several other friends. Mrs. Toomey is also enjoying a visit from her little nephew, Master Willie Slater of Iowa City, Io.

Mrs. Hallie D. Pittman left early Monday morning for Kentucky, where she will visit her mother and sister, Miss Annie Daviess of Harrodsburg, who visited St. Louis in the fall. She will also visit friends in Danville and other points in the blue grass region, reaching home by the 1st of June.

A very pleasant party was given on Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stueck of 928 Autumn street to their daughter Katie on her 16th birthday. Dancing and music were the principal features of the evening and refreshments were also served. The young participants at this gathering were the Misses Amy Nohl, Emma Gebhard, Ella Kuemel, Melia Roetger, Helan Lampe, Annie Alt and Rina Tesh, and Messrs. Ascar Nohl, Henry Alt, Fred Lepart, Ervin Tesh, Albert Huten, Geo. Bangs and Frank Kerens.

HE GOT THE INFORMATION.

The Singular Circumstances That Led to a Startling Report.

During the past two days a report of a case of catalepsy, with some odd features, has been afloat in the neighborhood of Easton and Webster avenues. It grew out of the singular conduct of a young colored man named Buck Mathews, who resides over a butcher shop at the intersection of Dickson street and Easton and Webster avenues. Saturday evening, as the story goes, the young man walked into an undertaking-room in that neighborhood and told the proprietor that his father was dead, and that he would like to look at some coffins and trimmings. He selected a coffin and asked what the cost would be. He left apparently satisfied with the terms. The undertaker asked him if he wanted the body prepared for the casket, and he replied in the negative, adding that friends would attend to that. He promised to call the following morning and he kept his promise. The undertaker expected that the young man would tell him to deliver the order, but was surprised when Mathews told him that he had no use for the coffin or trimmings, as the attending physician had discovered that his father was not dead after all, and as there was no corpse there could be no funeral. The undertaker was amazed and likewise everybody else present who heard the conversation. The report was then circulated that the young man's father was in a trance.

This morning the home of the Mathews family was visited. Mrs. Mathews said there was no truth in the report. "My husband is dead now," she said, "and I know he never was in a trance. He died at 2 o'clock this morning, and he is in the room here [motioning to an adjoining apartment] in a coffin."

It was subsequently learned that Young Mathews' visit to the undertaking establishment was the result of some peculiar circumstances attending the

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of the elder Mathews. It appears that he was a member of a colored lodge which sent two or three of its members to sit up with the patient every night. Saturday night it seems Dr. Barnes, the attending physician, said the patient could not live much longer, and after he had left the house the members of the lodge present adjourned to another room and began discussing the cost of the funeral. Mrs. Mathews and her son, it seems, were both present. The lodge members, it is claimed, told her the funeral would cost more than the lodge would pay and gave her to understand that she would have to contribute a portion to bear the expense. She suggested that it would be advisable to wait until her husband died, and was in an indignant frame of mind when she made this declaration. The lodge members, however, wanted to fix the programme then and there, and Mrs. Mathews, it appears, told them she could have the funeral conducted on a much more reasonable plan than they wanted to carry out. The visit of her son to the undertaking establishment followed, and Mrs. Matthews said this morning that he saw the undertaker after the discussion with the lodge members, just to investigate the subject of funerals and the cost of conducting them.

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The Brooks Shooting Affray.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., May 20.—Isaac N. Brooks, who was shot three times last evening in Fayetteville while going from his store to supper, is living at noon to-day, but his recovery is doubtful. His brother-in-law, Chambers, who shot him, is in jail, which is guarded. Excitement is not so intense as it was last night. The Circuit Court is in session and the law will take its course.

Injured While Out Driving.

While Mrs. Caroline Hayes, living at 322 Cottage avenue, was driving with her 7-year-old son on Cass avenue yesterday afternoon one of the wheels of her buggy slipped off when at Nineteenth street. Both of the occupants were thrown violently to the street. The boy was hurt about the face and body. Mrs. Hayes escaped uninjured.

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The Lottery Company Awakening to the Needs of Louisiana.

Its So Called Generosity Nothing More Than a Bribe for the Extension of Its Charter.

What John A. Morris Has Done for New Orleans—He Erects a Dog Fountain at a Cost of Not More Than $30 to Save His Place From Being Flooded, and the Newspapers Write Him Up as a Philanthropist—The Lottery Company's Latest Bribe—$30,000 Offered to Flush the Gutters of New Orleans and Erect a Bath House.

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 20.—Owing to the derailment of a train on the Valley road a majority of the members of the Legislature were so delayed that no meeting of the General Assembly was held yesterday. Had there been it was the intention of the anti-lottery party to introduce a resolution to appoint a committee to examine the books of the lottery and thus afford a test vote. There is no doubt that thirty-eight members of the House have signed an iron-clad compact to oppose the lottery. This is considerably more than one-third of the House—enough to prevent favorable action for the present at least. The Speaker of the House, Mr. Henry, and President pro-tem Foster, of the Senate, are openly opposed to the lottery renewal. The principal managers of the lottery interest took the train last night for Baton Rouge to renew their efforts to pass the bill.

Satan masquerading as a saint would not be a more ridiculous figure than that which the Louisiana Lottery Co. makes in its assumed cloak of virtue. And yet there are some people who are really deluded into believing that this hypocrisy is real sympathy and unselfish beneficence. While it is true that most of the advocates of an extension of the lottery company's charter are not so from motives which are above criticism, it is at the same time not to be denied that there are many who are in favor of it solely because they think that the supposed generosity of the company should be rewarded. They do not seem to be able to analyze this alleged concern for the people and see it in its true light.

With all the millions that the Louisiana Lottery Co. have made since permitted to operate in Louisiana, what return has it made to the people? It paid the miserly sum of $40,000 a year as a license and endowed a charity hospital. That is all. John Morris put up a couple of handsome buildings, it is true, but they were private business ventures and are paying him well. All the company's alleged munificence is simply an investment of Morris et al. to realize profits, in comparison with which their gratuity will sink into insignificance. The *New Delta*, which is the anti-lottery paper, and the only one in the city, commenting on this sudden sympathy for the pernicious institution makes the following forcible remarks:

SUDDEN SYMPATHY.

"Their concern for these wards of the State is great, marvelously great; it is vehemently, it is wildly overpowering. But it is neither so great, so vehement nor so overpowering as it is sudden. It is as sudden as the conversion of St. Paul. In this case, as in his, the scales have fallen from their eyes with the quickness of lightning, and they see this awful suffering with a suddenness that is to them overpowering. It has burst upon them like a cyclone without warning. It has stricken them like apoplexy, without a premonitory symptom. It has come with the suddenness of a thief in the night. They retired to bed one night, their breasts free from this carking care for the unfortunate, and woke next morning victims to this awful feeling of terrible responsibility. But yesterday their hearts were light and happy; to-day they are bowed down with the weight of woe.

"The necessities of the insane and the deaf and the dumb and blind did not begin to-day, but these anguished hearts only found it out just now. Food for the hungry, clothes for the naked and shelter for the homeless have been necessities from the creation of the world, but these wailing weepers never knew it until somebody told them about it. The conditions surrounding the State's unfortunates has not changed (save for better) in the last ten years. Why then this sudden burst of sympathy? Why this outpouring of feeling by those who never before had any feeling except a feeling for the hard and shining dollar? Why this reaching out of supplicating hands by those who heretofore have reached out their hands only to haul something in with? Why this exhibition of signs of humanity by those whose only signs were $, ¢ and @?

"The answer is supplied by the fact that the necessities of the unfortunates now, for the first time, coincide with the necessities of the lottery. A deaf ear was turned to these affairs in the past, and calloused hearts then beat no responsive throb to appeals of this nature. But now the flood-gates of feeling are opened and a torrent of sympathy is gushing out in an overwhelming flood. Sympathy is like the great river. Properly directed and flowing gently in the right channel, it is beautiful, useful and a blessing, but when it rises to a raging torrent threatening to break its banks and overflow and drown out our moral instincts and overwhelm and destroy our material welfare, we must raise against it our levees of principle and direct and control and turn it into its proper channel."

The newspapers of New Orleans, under the control of the lottery company, are making mountains of munificence out of the lottery company's mole hills of so called generosity. To show how they would exalt Morris and his associates in the eyes of the people many illustrations can be given. There is one which will prove particularly amusing. The lottery Orleans concluded that he would like to have an artesian well on the grounds which surround his mansion, and he accordingly had one bored. When the water came bubbling forth, however, Mr. Morris did not for some reason like it. The water ran out over the street and made a puddle, and as he did not want to have a puddle in front of his house, and did not care to go to the trouble of having the well filled up again, he bought a common iron fountain, with a place for horses and dogs to drink out of, and this he had erected on the curb, so that the water would be flowing in it continually. The fountain probably cost about $25 or $30, and was erected more as a matter of convenience than from any other motive, yet the lottery organs had a half column each about it and characterized Mr. Morris as a great philanthropist.

THE LATEST PLAY FOR FAVOR.

The lottery company's latest play for public favor was made Saturday evening last. As every person who has ever visited New Orleans knows, the city's principal drawback is its lack of effective drainage. Recently the gutters have been in a worse condition than usual and the Sanitary Association has been considering the best and cheapest means of flushing them. It was decided to sink artesian wells along the levee and let them supply the mains in order to save the annual expense of $10,000, which has been necessary to run the pumps heretofore. The President of the Sanitary Association is Mr. Ed Fenner, and he decided to ask the lottery company for the money needed not only for the boring of the wells, but also for the erection of public bath houses. Whatever may have been Mr. Fenner's motives in taking such a course, his action under the present circumstances was certainly injudicious. The opportunity he afforded the lottery company to increase its prestige was seized upon without delay. The correspondence between Mr. Fenner and Mr. M. A. Dauphin, President of the lottery company, will be found interesting. It was as follows:

NEW ORLEANS, May 8, 1890.

M. A. Dauphin, President Louisiana State Lottery Co.:

MY DEAR SIR—Encouraged by your very liberal contribution to the Sanitary Association for several years past, I venture to address you in regard to its needs at the present time.

It has been the annual custom of that body to issue a circular in the month of April soliciting subscriptions to defray the expense of running the sanitary pumps and for other sanitary work.

As a result of long experience its financial officers have become convinced that, apart from the knowledge that there is a growing indisposition among citizens to give pecuniary aid to a work which, with good reason, they believe should be done by the city government, it will be impossible in a season like the present and following a public subscription now being taken up by the committee of the Board of Trade meeting in aid of the "cleaning up" fund to obtain an amount even approximately sufficient to run the flushing pumps throughout the summer.

In this dilemma, and knowing not what else to do, I take the liberty of making an appeal to you. Municipal sanitation has, in our belief, given to New Orleans ten years of uninterrupted business; we see its effect in the great increase of industrial enterprises. To imperil all we have gained through want of effort would bring shame upon us wherever it is known. It must not be said that the flushing pumps no longer purify the many miles of open sewers for lack of money.

The sum required to run the pumps effectively is $10,000. To avoid hereafter the expenditure of so great a sum annually it is proposed to supply the 12-inch main pipe, which extends 20,870 feet along the levee, by means of artesian wells.

If the experiment proves successful its importance cannot be overestimated. Since the establishment of the flushing pumps, and the present mode of disposing of garbage, no permanent work has been, for want of money, undertaken by the Sanitary Association. Among the many things that can be done to put the city on a par with almost every other city in the country, to improve the public health and to give the toiling multitude a chance at will to take a refreshing bath, with no fear of ordinances forbidding bathing, is the erection of a public bath.

A bath-house such as we propose, having tanks of ample size to admit of an invigorating swim, not alone for men, but for women and children, and bath-tubs supplied with hot and cold water, will cost, as near as we can estimate, $30,000.

When you consider how few are the opportunities for healthful exercise, of a kind that can be enjoyed in this climate during the summer, and what an innocent, attractive and health-promoting pleasure is a good bath and swim—I frankly confess that the past record of your company in this city inspires me with confidence that you will not long hesitate to present to those who so largely contribute to the general prosperity so great a boon as a public bath. With sentiments of highest esteem, I remain sincerely yours,

EDWARD FENNER.

MR. DAUPHIN'S RESPONSE.

NEW ORLEANS, May 17, 1890.

Mr. Edw. Fenner, President New Orleans Auxiliary Sanitary Association:

MY DEAR SIR—The work which your association has voluntarily assumed must commend itself to every citizen who has the well-being of New Orleans at heart. This city cannot prosper in the face of any menace to public health. Sanitary science has been so fully developed within recent years that we have accurate knowledge of what is necessary to be done in order to protect cities from disease.

Our conference and correspondence with you have impressed our corporation with the conviction that no greater service can be rendered the people of this city than providing the means to flush our gutters with pure water, and to give the toiling multitude an opportunity to take a refreshing bath at will and without cost.

Your letter of the 8th instant suggests a plan by which we may provide the two great necessities to the preservation of the health of our people.

The boring of artesian wells, by which the 12-inch main pipe along the levee may be supplied with water, will unquestionably result in flushing our gutters fully and completely. To do this according to the estimate of your association, as given in your kindly letter already referred to, the sum of $10,000 is needed. I am instructed to authorize you to have the work done at our expense.

The public bathhouse, according to your estimate, will cost twenty thousand (20,000) dollars. This, too, I am empowered to authorize you to do at our expense.

The perfecting of the details of our corporation leaves with full confidence your association, and the head of which we are gratified to know there is so public-spirited and well-informed man as yourself. With expressions of highest esteem I am, yours very truly,

M. A. DAUPHIN, President.

Is It the Old Lottery Company?

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FORT SMITH, Ark., May 20.—Adams Morris, a wealthy Choctaw, has just returned from Washington City, where he went on business connected with the Choctaw Lottery scheme. He says he satisfied himself that everything is all right and the lottery company will be organized at once, notwithstanding the warning of Indian Agent Bennett. The corporation will be known as the Choctaw Orphan Asylum Lottery. The capital stock is to be $1,000,000. Adam Morris, President; John G. Farr, Vice-President. It will be conducted on the plan of the Louisiana lottery. The officers are to be just across the line from this place.

VOTE FOR BURNET TO-DAY. IMPORTANT.

A ROW AMONG ACTORS.

Miss Sophie Eyre Insists on Playing After Being Dismissed.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, May 20.—There was quite a scene on the stage of the Star Theater last night prior to the raising of the curtain on the first act of "The Schatchen." Miss Sophie Eyre, who has been playing the part of the adventuress during the past week, wanted to go on with her part despite the fact that she had received notice of her dismissal and that another actress was present to take her place. It was said that matters went so far that Mr. Charles Burnham, the manager of the theater, threatened to send for a policeman. From what could be learned the relations between Miss Eyre and the management have been anything but pleasant. Miss Eyre has been saying that she was not treated properly and that the management was very stingy. A reporter saw Mr. John W. McKinney, the manager of the company, and he denied very emphatically Miss Eyre's statements.

"Miss Eyre," said he, "has been a source of trouble ever since she joined the company. She created lots of talk on Monday night last, and on Wednesday Mr. Morrison, who engaged her, asked for her resignation. She said she would sleep over it. I offered her a week's salary to leave the company, but she refused to accept it."

Miss Eyre's part was played by Miss Leonora Bradley.

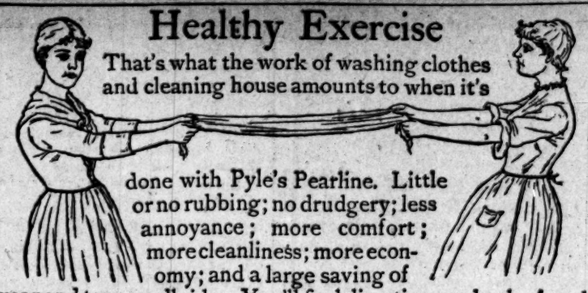
VOTE FOR BURNET TO-DAY. IMPORTANT.

May Be Lynched.

FREEPORT, Ill., May 20.—The murderer of Jacob S. Reisinger, Superintendent of the Poor Farm, was captured in Joe Daviess County, and is now in jail here. Hundreds have called to see Wilhelm, who expresses himself glad that he committed the act. There is great excitement and fears are entertained that he will be lynched. The fellow does not appear to be insane, although he was so adjudged about two years ago.

GRACE CHURCH Excursion, May 24, 5 p. m. Str. Oliver Belrne, Vine St. Wharf. Come.

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WHERE WILL WHEAT GO?

THE QUESTION NOW AGITATING THE DEALERS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.

Some Expert Opinions on the Prospects of the Wheat Market During the Coming Summer—Old Hutch Announces Himself a Bull—Wide Variations in Estimates—What St. Louis Dealers Think.

WHAT is most deeply interesting owners of and speculators in wheat is the situation of the market during the next two months. Seldom has such great difference of opinion and such general uncertainty prevailed at this season of the year as that which is now characteristic of the market. Some are of the opinion that the crop has been greatly underestimated, and that a week or two of fine weather will send prices down rapidly.

OTHERS HOLD THE VIEW

that the weather from now on will have little influence on the crop, and that an advance far beyond present figures will take place before the middle of August. Commission men are advising their customers in accordance with their individual views, and the consequence is that very great uncertainty prevails, and that cautious men are decidedly disinclined to invest until the situation has fewer elements of uncertainty. "Old Hutch," when asked his opinion of the future of the wheat market, was found to be a decided bull, at least as far as words go. He stated that in his opinion wheat would certainly go as high as $1, and that it would not surprise him to see it reach $1.25 or $1.50. Others take a much more bearish view of the market, and predict that by August wheat will be selling at 70 or even 60 cents a bushel.

THIS VARIATION IN ESTIMATE

is the extreme, the general run being between 80 cents and $1.10. With the object of ascertaining what the feeling in this market was, however, Berry & Smith sent out a circular to local millers, dealers and pit traders, asking them to give their opinions as to the price at which wheat would sell during the coming summer; some declined to express any opinion at all, but a number gave their views, which are as follows:

ST. LOUIS ESTIMATES.

John Proctor Smith: "July wheat will sell for $1 in St. Louis before August 1."

R. M. Hubbard and Nat Moffit: "It will sell at 60 cents before August 30."

J. H. Teasdale: "One dollar wheat is coming sure."

W. K. Ewing: "Never sell at $1—80 cents before July 23."

A. L. Messmore: "Will go over $1 sure, no shadow of a doubt."

Col. D. P. Grier: "Next crop $1 will be the minimum price."

Alex. H. Smith: "Anything possible between now and July, but will sell to 80 cents before August 1. Price now discounts much larger shortage than we are likely to have."

John Sharpe: "I am badly mixed."

A. N. Eaton: "Think will sell at 95 cents or a dollar before the 1st of June, looking for reaction say to 87 cents, when wheat moves."

John Fisher: "Prices of flour do not warrant present prices of wheat, still think wheat is going higher."

Chris Bernet: "Will see a dollar before it is looked for, flour is below cost and cheap at present prices."

F. Hatterslay: "Will sell at a dollar and is worth it."

Adolphus Bang: "Present price July wheat will be maintained."

C. H. Sieving: "July wheat is cheap; my opinion based on reports from the growers, not the pit."

E. L. Buschman: "Bet you a nickel July wheat will sell in July at 85 cents."

E. O. Stanard: "Think west of the Mississippi River will produce an average equal to the past five years; through Central Indiana and Illinois, over a belt 100 miles in width, half crop; Northern and Southern Illinois and Indiana, three-fourths crop. Wheat in July will sell under 85 cents."

Charles Hezel: "July wheat will sell for 82 cents in July; meantime will sell to a dollar."

Michael McEnnis: "July wheat will sell for $1.10 before July 1; may go to $2."

Amadie Cole: "One dollar and ten cents between now and July 1."

Sessinghaus: "Going to be worth $1.10."

J. B. Westman: "From 5 to 8 cents too high; will, I think, sell to 93 and down to 80 cents in July."

Louis J. Myer: "I think $1.10 cheap for this wheat."

F. Schreiber: "Going to a dollar and beyond that; I won't say how much."

Mauntel-Borgess & Co.: "We think present prices too high; nothing to encourage buying."

John Smith: "Think it is all right for a dollar."

Quincy Miller: "Our wheat crop shows better than newspapers report it."

Ed Robinson: "July wheat is good at a dollar."

Tom Francis: "Looks high to me."

Col. Jo Nanson: "Little high; think damage overestimated."

F. Schwartz: "It is a purchase at present prices; think will sell for over a dollar."

Daniel Hodkins: "Just now it depends upon rain in the Northwest; think will sell higher rain or no rain."

W. B. Anderson: "Think July wheat will sell in this market for 85 cents in July."

E. Hodkins: "Will be good property during July at 95 cents."

P. C. Taylor: "My first idea was that it would sell for a dollar, later I concluded that it was worth $1.10."

Tom Jacobs: "July wheat is sure to sell at 80 cents and below."

Phil Shirmer: "It will sell lower than 80 cents."

D. H. Clifton: "Worth a dollar and will sell to that."

H. B. Slaughter: "Will sell about 80 cents when the crop comes in; only craze on now and may go to a dollar or over."

W. F. Anderson: "Our report under-estimate the damage to crop, and July will see $1 or over and $1 with the crop coming in."

From the opinions given above it is evident that St. Louis dealers are very far apart in their estimates, and think their chances for speculation are excellent.

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Fruit Men at Outs.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 20.—President P. E. Platt and E. J. Gregory, director and member of the Executive Committee of the California Fruit Union, have resigned and withdrawn from the Union. They give as their reason that the machinery of the Union was not a practical method for the handling and disposition of California fruits. They wanted to encourage the Eastern dealers to spread California fruit over the country, and say this cannot be done if the dealers are obliged to pay a tribute to some fruit union which seeks to control or regulate the disposition.

EVERY bottle of Phos-Ferrone has name blown in bottle—imitations have not.

North St. Louis.

Miss Willie Buttweiler of North St. Louis is visiting relatives in Iowa.

The Tourists' Club will take a run down to Pilot Knob and Arcadia next Sunday.

Lafayette Council, A. L. of H., will have an excursion to Chester, Ill., and return next Sunday.

The Model Building Association will have a meeting to-morrow night at No. 3700 Easton avenue.

St. Michael's Sodality had the largest attended meeting of the year last night, and two new members were admitted.

The Philomathian Society will have a private entertainment to-morrow night. A special programme has been prepared.

The pupils of the Irving, Clay, Webster and Ames Schools will indulge in a reunion and picnic to-morrow at the Fair Grounds.

The Evangelical Lutheran School at Nineteenth and Newhouse avenue will have their annual picnic at Huber's Grove, June 14.

Joseph Ebach recovered judgment of $125 to-day in Justice Harmon's court against Wm. H. Barnett. Barnett's team ran away and completely wrecked the plaintiff's team.

Jacob Drober, a boot and shoe dealer, doing business at No. 2708 St. Louis avenue, made an assignment yesterday to M. K. Cullem, for the benefit of his children. The assets amount to $2,500.

Branch No. 81, Catholic Knights of America, has issued 2,500 tickets for its third annual river ride, which will be given Thursday afternoon, June 5, to the mouth of the Illinois River. The branch will inaugurate a new idea in giving a musical and literary entertainment on the steamer.

VOTE FOR BURNET AS YOU GO HOME.

Industrial Interests.

The Whiteners' Union, although only two weeks organized, has forty members.

The St. Louis Iron & Machine Works will begin work in a few days on their new factory.

Stove Molders' Union, No. 10, will have an excursion next Sunday on the steamer Oliver Beirne.

The next annual meeting of the National Wool Growers' Association will be held at Galveston, Tex., June 11.

F. C. Riddle & Bros. have let contracts for the erection of a coffin factory to cost $10,000, on Hogan street, between O'Fallon and Cass avenue.

A new planing mill will probably soon be counted among the industries of North St. Louis. A well-known lumber company has the matter under consideration.

The employes of the Huttig Sash & Door Co. have organized a mutual aid society, and next Saturday will elect officers. An application for a charter was sent to Jefferson City to-day.

DR. ENNO SANDER'S Garrod Spa is the remedy for gout and urinary concretions and contains more Lithia in one pint than other Lithia waters in one gallon. For sale by drug gists.

Looted by a Miner.

ISHPEMING, Mich., May 20.—Henry Varcoe, employed as a "sorter" at the Michigan gold mine, quit work last Saturday and was to have started for England last night. A search warrant was secured and his trunk opened. A quart bottle filled with fine gold and several hundred pounds of very rich rock were found, estimated to be worth at least $5,500. Varcoe is in jail and confesses that he was not the only thief at the mine. It is thought that thousands of dollars have already been stolen.

Double Daily Service to St. Paul

Via the Burlington Route. Three trains a day, two in the morning and one in the evening; the morning trains run through Pullman sleepers direct to St. Paul, and the evening train runs through Pullman combination sleeping and chair cars to Cedar Rapids, where direct connections are made with train for Spirit Lake, St. Paul and Minneapolis.

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Lumber Dealers' Association.

A circular letter has been received by local lumbermen from J. E. Defebrough, editor of the *Timberman*, Chicago, in which the dissolution of the National Association of Retail Lumber Dealers is announced. In place of its service lumbermen are recommended to affiliate with the various State organizations. One of the last meetings of the retired body was held in St. Louis. The association had a membership of 200 scattered over various States in the Union.

LOSS of hair, which often mars the prettiest face, prevented by PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM. PARKER'S GINGER TONIC alleviates suffering.

The Iroquois.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 20.—The United States man-of-war Iroquois steamed down from Mare Island Navy Yard yesterday and anchored in the bay. She will sail in a few days for Honolulu, and from there will go to Samoa. The United States Flagship Charleston is expected to sail for Honolulu to-day.

DIED.

JUDD—At Upper Alton, Ill., May 20, Dr. HOMER JUDD, aged 70 years.

STOEPPELWERTH—JOHN ARTHUR, beloved son of Henry and Lizzie Stoeppelwerth (nee Beckerig), May 19, at 4:30.

Funeral from late residence, 1508 Monroe street, Wednesday, May 21, at 2:30. Friends are respectfully invited.

Pennsylvania I. O. O. F.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 20.—The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania Independent Order of Odd Fellows convened an annual sess on in Carnegie Hall, Allegheny City, at 9 o'clock this morning, with a full repesentation of delegates from all the lodges in the State. The morning session was taken up with routine business and the afternoon devoted to sightseeing.

TO WHATEVER CAUSE

It may be attributed, it is a fact that Nervousness is increasing alarmingly among American women. But, while the exact cause may not be known, it is now well known to thousands that

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THE CHICAGO WAITERS REFUSE TO REPUDIATE THEIR UNION.

The Hotel Managers Having a Hard Time Trying to Serve Their Guests—Demands of the Union Iron-Mill Workers—Favor Eight Hours—Planing-Mill Hands Strike—Labor News.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—The fight is now on at the Auditorium in earnest. Manager Southgate returned this morning and sent at once for his waiters and tried to compel them to sign a contract similar to those submitted by the other hotels, binding the men to conditions which would practically destroy their union. No one offered his signature. President Pomeroy has got affairs in shape in New York and this morning he telegraphed the Alliance that if the Auditorium waiters struck all the waiters in the Gilsey House would be out a half hour later or just as soon as a telegram announcing the trouble was received by him. At the Palmer, the Tremont and the Commercial the management are having a hard time trying to serve their guests, bell boys, chambermaids and kitchen girls being pressed into service in the dining-rooms.

A Short-Lived Strike.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—There was a strike among the Rock Island switchmen yesterday. James Callahan of the city yards cut a train at the Fourteenth street crossing to allow some teams to pass. Before all had done so the engineer threw the engine back and struck a wagon. The accident enraged Yardmaster Corry, who at once discharged Callahan. His action was soon made known to the other men in the yards and they at once quit work. Runners were sent to the big yards at Forty-seventh street, and the switchmen there at once left the engines. Such vigorous retaliation on the part of the men was wholly unexpected by Corry, who immediately reinstated Callahan. The others resumed work, and by 1 o'clock the system was in operation again.

The Iron Workers' Demands.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 20.—The main talk among the iron workers in all the union iron mills is the work of the Amalgamated convention, which will open in this city two weeks from to-day. The main question at issue this year will be an advance of 50 cents asked by the puddlers, which is to come from the firm, and a change asked by roughers on guide roll in their wages that will advance them about 5 per cent, which is to be paid by the rollers. The puddlers claim if the finishers will not ask for an advance the firms will concede them their wages, which is to raise boiling to $2 per ton on a 2-cent card. Some of the finishers are willing to concede the puddlers' demand, irrespective of their own request.

Planing Mill Hands Strike.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 20.—The mill hands in all but two of the planing mills of the city struck this morning. They want nine hours instead of ten and no reduction in wages. The strikers to the number of 465 held a very orderly meeting this morning. The Queen City and Schneider planing mills conceded the demands of the men and those employed there did not strike.

A Modified Demand.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 20.—The 3,500 employes of the National Tube-works Co. at McKeesport, Pa., who struck ten days ago for a 10 per cent advance, this morning presented a modified demand calling for an advance of from 7½ to 10 per cent. The scale will only apply to certain departments and not all employes, as in the first demand. An early settlement is probable.

Favor Eight Hours.

BOSTON, Mass., May 20.—The First Nationalist Club of Boston last evening adopted resolutions embodying expression of sympathy with the eight hour movement and declaring the conservation of human energy of the greatest economic importance. The resolution will be sent to all the Nationalist clubs in the United States.

Struck for Nine Hours.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 20.—Between 600 and 700 union mill hands struck this morning for a nine-hour day, the employers having decided to refuse their demand. Later about 100 of the strikers returned to work, their mills having granted them the nine hours asked for.

Gained Their Point.

CINCINNATI, O., May 20.—About 300 stone masons who struck yesterday for higher wages have gained their point and have resumed work.

A TEXAS FIEND.

John Shepherd Arrested for Poisoning His Employer's Family.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 20.—A man named John Shepherd was brought in last night at midnight and lodged in jail, charged with wholesale poisoning. Some weeks ago he was hired to chop cotton for Mr. Cripwell, living about eight miles from town. On the 14th inst. he left there and went to work at C. L. Henick's, a neighbor of Cripwell's. Sunday, after eating supper, the Cripwell family were taken violently sick, and doctors who were called in pronounced it poison from eating rough on rats. An examination was made and the poison was found in the lard, which was kept in a room occupied by Shepherd. None of the Cripwell family had ever had any poison in the house, but it was remembered that Shepherd, while there, was seen with a box. The Henick family, who had been called in to see the Cripwells, said they had seen Shepherd with a box of rough on rats and sent home and had their lard bucket examined. Impressions were noticed in the lard as if a stick had been run down into it and an examination disclosed a lot of poison about half way down in the bucket. Mrs. Cripwell then remembered she had noticed similar impressions in her lard some days ago, but supposed the children had made them. Shepherd acknowledges that he had the poison, but says he put none of it in the lard. He was held to answer this morning in the sum of $1,000, in default of which he went to jail. He is about 30 years old and very deaf. He says he served a term of five years in the penitentiary for stealing horses in Caldwell. All the members of the Cripwell family are up except Mr. Cripwell, and it is believed he will die.

Cheated the Law.

BOSTON, Mass., May 20.—This forenoon two police officers went to the house No. 36 Kirkland street to search for stolen property. Their ring at the door was responded to by a man supposed to be Wm. Grossman, who, upon learning the errand of the officers, placed a revolver to his head and blew out his brains. In his pockets were found twenty-four bank books, not one representing less than $800.

Missouri Odd Fellows.

The Grand Lodge of Missouri, I. O. O. F., met this morning in Odd Fellows' Hall, with Grand Master De Bolt in the chair. There was a full attendance of delegates. The usual committees were appointed and other routine work attended to. The installation of officers will take place on the last day of the session, which will probably be on Friday.

Baltimore's Murder Mystery.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 20.—Shortly after 6 o'clock this morning Patrolman Carberry found Martin Connolly, a laborer, dead on the lot at North and Reade streets. The man's left temple was crushed and his head was lying against a rock. The police are making an investigation.

Likely to Be Acquitted.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SULLIVAN, Ill., May 20.—The case of William P. Corbin, for the killing of Charley Harris, whose second trial has occupied the Circuit Court here for the past nine days, is almost closed, and will go the jury this afternoon. Every indication points toward an acquittal.

RICHARD M'HALE'S DEATH.

The Investigation by Coroner Frank This Afternoon.

An inquest was held by Coroner Frank in his office at the Four Courts this afternoon in the case of Richard McHale. The verdict returned by the jury empanelled simply found "that the deceased had come to his death from the effects of a gun shot wound in the abdomen inflicted by a revolver in the hands of Herman H. Holtkamp." On this verdict Holtkamp will be held pending the issuance of a warrant. Holtkamp, it will be remembered, is a saloonkeeper doing business at Eighteenth and Mullanphy streets. About 11:30 o'clock on last Sunday night he quarrelled with McHale in his saloon and shot him in the abdomen. He claimed self-defense, insisting that McHale had tried to draw him into a quarrel and had attempted to draw a weapon before he was shot. The testimony given this morning was of a conflicting nature. Several of the witnesses substantiated the statement which Holtkamp made while the two friends of McHale said they had not seen any such move on McHale's part. The deceased was a married man 32 years old and lived at 1604 Hogan street. The charge against Holdkamp will probably be murder in the second degree.

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But the Confidence Men Have His Good Money in Their Keeping.

Abram Gay, an old farmer from Davis County, Missouri, arrived in the city this morning from Kansas City. About noon while standing at the corner of Fourth and Poplar streets he was approached by three men, who worked a very old confidence game on him. One of them appeared to be in great haste to pay a bill which he owed on some goods, as he claimed, and he borrowed $175 from the unsuspecting Farmer Gay, giving him as security a worthless bond of a Colorado silver mine. The farmer still has the bond and his new friend has his money. Of course the man failed to return to redeem the bond, and Farmer Gay to-day made a vigorous kick to the police about how he had been swindled.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

The Coroner's Inquiry Concerning the Death of Daniel Farmer.

About 5:30 o'clock on the afternoon of May 11, while a number of colored boys were playing in Carondelet Park Daniel Farmer, aged 14 years, was shot in the head by a revolver in the hands of Frank Wilkins, aged 19. Farmer was taken to his home, at Grand avenue and Iron street, where he died yesterday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock. Immediately after the shooting was done Wilkins was arrested by Sergt. Dugge and Officer O'Brien and locked up at the First District Police Station. He insisted that the shooting was entirely accidental, saying that the weapon was discharged while being passed to him by Farmer. Coroner Frank will hold an inquest to-morrow morning.

President Garfield's Remains Removed.

CLEVELAND, O., May 20.—At an early hour this morning, when Lakeview Cemetery was quite free from visitors, the remains of President Garfield were removed from the public vault to the crypt in the monument. This is to be their last resting place. The coffin in which the remains were originally placed has for four or five years been incased in a metallic casket of great weight, and eight workingmen were required to carry it to the hearse and into the tomb. The remains of the President's mother were also removed to the monument, which is to be dedicated on Memorial Day.

Conference of Charities and Correction.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 20.—At the National Conference of Charities and Correction this morning the care and detention of the insane was discussed by Dr. Richard Gundry of Spring Grove Asylum and Dr. Stephen Smith, the New York surgeon and author. Cardinal Gibbons has been invited to be present and has been requested to deliver an address at the close of the conference to-morrow evening. As His Eminence sympathizes seriously with the work in which the delegates are engaged it is more than likely that he will accept the invitation and comply with the request.

A Colored Leader Killed.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 20.—A special to the *Star* from Topeka, Kan., says: A telegram was received last night from Dover, I. T., stating that the Rev. S. F. Griffin, colored, had been shot and killed by Samuel Moore. No further particulars are given. Griffin was well-known here. He went to Oklahoma about six months ago and there secured a claim. He organized quite a large colony of colored people in this city, all of whom he located near Dover. He was a popular leader among the colored people and took a prominent part in politics.

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Smoked the Pipe of Peace.

GUTHRIE, I. T., May 20.—Information from the Iowa Reservation is that after the feast of yesterday, which consisted of two fine bullocks provided by the Cherokee Commission, the Indians were a little more sociable. The pipe of peace was handed around and it appeared that negotiations with the Iowas for the sale of their lands were on the way to a beginning. The Indians have stated that they intend to treat with the commissioners.

A Belgian Prince's Marriage.

PARIS, May 20.—The marriage of Prince De Caraman-Chimay, son of the Prime Minister of Belgium, to Miss Clara Ward, took place at the Non-Clature to-day. The witnesses for the bride were Mr. Whitelaw Reid, the American Minister to France, and Count Lytton, the British Ambassador.

Baptist Woman's Society.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—The Baptist Woman's Society resumed its annual session this morning. After devotional exercises representatives of committees were taken up. Mrs. W. E. Wimsley of Brooklyn reported from the Committee on Missionaries and Fields, the figures showing substantial progress. This was followed by a report from the Committee on Finance.

St. Kevin's Festival.

The festival in aid of the fund for a new church for St. Kevin's Parish will be held at Uhrig's Cave this and to-morrow evenings. The programme is an elaborate one and includes many features of more than ordinary interest. There will be high-class music and singing and several voting contests. A very large attendance is relied on.

A Brakeman Drowned.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FORT SMITH, Ark., May 20.—John Davis, a brakeman on the 'Frisco Railway, fell off the train last night while passing over a bridge near Tuskahoma, and was drowned.

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Women Who Exhibit Gracious Curves and Soft Dimples—Change in the Style of Gloves—The Wearing of Bracelets—How to Hold the Arms—The Arms of Some Well-Known Women.



NEW YORK, May 15.—We are going to have an era of arms. In a general way arms are things we have with us always, but the chances are we shall see more of them. The long glove has moderated its ambition; it stops as soon as it has turned the corner of the elbow. One woman in twenty has a prettily modeled elbow, and she, you may be sure, does not cover its dimples with either glove or sleeve. Glove etiquette seems to be a little more liberal than it was before we wore the Greek gown. There are daring spirits who regard its classic folds as warrant for barring the arm from finger tip to shoulder. There are even those who maintain that by wearing the Recamier dress the same dispensation from gloves may be obtained. Ella Wheeler Wilcox, for example, when she puts on a short-waisted white silk is never shy about exposing her long rounded arms.

The smoke of the fight about the decollete bodice has never enveloped the arm. Annie Jenness Miller says that if a woman's arm is pretty she should give its shapeliness frankly to the world; if it is not pretty she should study sleeves. The ideal arm has a beauty of a wholesome, almost of a pastoral order; it bears showing. It is clear-skinned and rounded and there is a gracious dimple just at the side of the elbow. The skin is soft, but the flesh is firm. Beneath its smooth contour it is instinct with the strength that supports a tired child. It is a blemish if the lines are so full as to suggest the seraglio rather than the green fields.

Women who know anything about arms have thrown their bracelets away. It is mistaken policy to call attention to a poor arm and a good one is never so beautiful as when naked. One often sees the value of a wrist absolutely destroyed by a bangle.

Gloved or ungloved, sleeved or unsleeved, braceleted or without jewels the arm grows in importance every day. Genevieve Stebbins Thompson and Mme. Alberti and Henrietta Crane Russell and Mabel Jenness and the rest of the æsthetes and physical culturists and Delsarteans have been teaching us all winter to pose, and the pity is we begin to "make" our arms before we have taken our degrees. The results are commonly ridiculous or harassing.

The arms of the woman who is not naturally graceful always looks stiff and harsh as they lie in her lap motionless. If she is not bitten with any of the artistic fads she makes an awkward hoop of them with fingers interlaced. If she has been doing a little amateurish studying of classical collections she extends them or lets them hang at full length unflexed in hard, straight lines. The first piece of advice which a well wisher would give such a woman would be that she allow both arms to fall in free, easy position, slightly

RELAXED AT THE ELBOWS

or with the hand drooping a little at the wrist, but that she should not allow her left arm to know what her right arm is doing. One ought usually to take a somewhat different position from the other, else you overdo the bilateral symmetry and look like a jointed doll.

But it is when a woman moves that real difficulties arise. Many a girl who makes capital out of handsome arms when she throws them into relief on the tennis ground flaps like a seal if she shakes hands in a drawing room. The difference is partly in the environment, partly, sometimes, in the gown. There's no getting a graceful motion if your dress has a French fit at the shoulder seams. Most women think there is a fine reserve in restrained gesticulation, and it is true that the woman does not exist who can attitudinize in private life without considerable danger of making herself ridiculous. It is commonly assumed that the effect has been calculated if a pretty girl indulges a movement as charming and natural as that of raising her arms to adjust her hair. But because a woman's arms must be kept well within the picture and backed against the person, it does not follow that she should move her arms, as most women do, only from the elbows. No gesture could be worse possibly. It expresses the little, the petty, the ungracious, the over-anxious to enter the camp of the 400. It stamps a women at once as nervous and awkward, an overgrown schoolgirl. Every dignified arm motion starts from the shoulder. In this way only can one get curve or swing. Elbow motion is mechanical, all angles.

You can tell much about a woman by the way in which she shakes hands. The pump-handle motion, fashionable this past winter, was distinctly vulgar, almost as much so as the present squaring of the shoulders, extension of the elbows and swaggering clutch of the pockets which is sold to one girl in every four with her spring jacket. Many a woman who is gracefully cordial with an intimate falls back on a marionette-like wagging from the elbow if called upon to say "How do you do?" to an important person of whom she stands somewhat in awe. The giving of the hand must be a whole-arm motion, but the arm should not be extended at full length, except in

IMPULSIVE WELCOME;

it may be kept rather near the body and the hand allowed to fall low.

The harp, the zither, the violin are so many chances for arms. If a girl is round-limbed it is getting almost impossible for her to look at the pictures of the Pompeian pipe players and the Greek girls going to play the tubar without going straightway to join a ladies' orchestra. Mrs. Ella Dietz Clymer owes much of her reputation as the "beautiful" President of Sorosis to her use of her arms. She never forces them. If she disposes herself statuesquely against the high back of her carved chair she is content with so much of picturesqueness as is compatible with the calm poise of a presiding officer. If occasion arises for her to throw an active expression into her posture she gets just the permissible effect, no more, no less, out of her graceful arms. But no woman off the stage has the actress' opportunity.

Lillian Russell has splendid, ripe, full-colored arms; a little heavy, perhaps, and suggesting the Turkish bath rather than the sunshine, but strong throughout and firm; such arms as speak of the fullness of recognition before the coming of the marks of time's invasion.

Julia Marlowe has a lithe, graceful, young arm. It reminds one of Margaret Mather's before that young woman quarreled with her manager and began to grow fleshy. And yet Miss Mather's arm was always too long. Miss Marlowe's is exquisitely proportioned and clearly, daintily modeled. It is a Diana arm, or rather that of one of Diana's nymphs more youthful than the huntress. It has about it no mark of passion.

Mrs. Kendal's arm when she is on the stage is like her face as one sees it off the stage, serenely and healthfully matronly. Her upper arm is peculiarly muscular. Her skin has a creamy tint and the elbow is irreproachable; but there is a certain exactness, not amounting to precision, about her arm motions which contradict the youthfulness of some of her parts and remind one of her children and her

MANY VIRTUES.

Carmencita could not have become the rage she is but for her soft, olive-tinted, expressive arms that dance quite as much as her feet but are even more graceful as they lie heavily on her knees after the impassioned performance than during their music-quicked life as they wave and circle above her piquant, dark-eyed face.

Lili Lehman has extremely handsome arms. A sculptor might model them. You never appreciate their beauty when she is on the stage because your attention is distracted by her orange-colored wig and the yards on yards of cashmere with which she curiously disfigures the goddesses of Walhalla. If she would only give them half a chance her arms are splendidly warm-skinned, majestically strong—the very arms of Brunhilde or Isolde.

Patti's arms are like pearl satin in color and texture. Albani's are not well formed. Mrs. Hodgson Burnett treats her arms about the least skillfully and Genevieve Stebbins has about the best arms of contemporaneous femininity. Mrs. Burnett's arm is short and too heavy, and yet she will sleeve it in large-patterned brocades and even allow a big round puff to shorten it still more at the elbow. Genevieve Stebbins, the Delsartean, is a big, lovely woman, and she has a big, lovely arm, like Judic's, but better finished and more delicately modeled. The skin is transparent and ruddy, and there is more force in it than is sometimes shown in sturdy rolls and knots of muscle.

Of society belles, Mabel Wright, now Mrs. Yznaga, had perhaps the widest spread reputation for arms.

Miss Elizabeth Bisland has the prettiest arms of any writing woman, with a young and virginal delicacy of rounding.

The prettiest wrist I ever saw belonged to a mite of a school teacher less than five feet high, who was built hand and foot like an intaglio Venus.

The commonest fault in a woman's arm is too large an elbow; there is petulance and not strength in such an articulation. Everybody remembers the struggle of Mrs. James Brown Potter's teachers with her irrepressibles.

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A boy is said to have saved the Netherlands from inundation. Multitudes have been saved from the invasion of disease by a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine imparts tone to the system and strengthens every organ and fibre of the body.

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The Novel Tournament Arranged by Compton Hill Council, No. 9.

Compton Hill Council, No. 9, L. of H., has issued invitations for a novel entertainment which will take place this evening. It is 'Fish Story Night,' and prizes amounting to $10 will be awarded to the gentlemen who tell the three best stories, $5 to the first, $3 to the second and $2 to the third. The avowed purpose of the entertainment is to cultivate a taste for fish and the imagination. The tournament will be open to members of the council only, and the only conditions are that the Jonah story is barred and aligators and crocodiles cannot come in under the head of fish. The following gentlemen will preside as judges: Jacob Klein, J. H. Fisse, E. S. Rowse, Thomas J. Rowe, George Minch, Charles Nagel, Peter Oakes, James T. Sands, Judge E. C. Tittman, Judge Charles Speck, Judge John H. Terry and Judge Richard Forrester. In making the awards the following points in reference to narratives and stories will be considered: Veracity, imagination, rhetorical excellence and brevity. The following gentlemen have already entered the lists: John D. Johnson, James Buller, Wm. C. Marshall, George Bain, Frank H. Thomas, Wm. D. Clapton, Seth W. Cobb, Phil Brockman, F. L. Soldan, Wm. Hammerstein, F. P. Kaiser, Richard Klemm, R. C. Ludlow, H. B. Lauderman, Dr. R. A. Phelan, Wm. Bull, E. D. Coe, E. T. Allen, J. E. Blythe, F. J. Comstock.

THE RIVERS.

Rise and Fall of the Rivers

For the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. All observations taken at the 75th meridian time.

ST. LOUIS, May 20, 1890.

STATIONS.	Danger Line.	H'g't of Water.	Change.
Pittsburg	22	7.5	†0.3
Parkersburg	35	14.3	†0.2
Cincinnati	45	29.6	-0.5
Louisville	24	11.8	-0.1
Nashville	40	16.1	†0.7
Chattanooga	30	8.8	†0.9
St. Paul	7	2.8	†0.1
La Crosse	24	4.3	0.0
Dubuque	16	5.1	-0.3
Davenport	15	4.4	0.0
Keokuk	14	5.2	-0.2
Omaha	63	6.5	-0.1
Kansas City	21	6.9	†0.2
St. Louis	30	12.9	-0.3
Cairo	40	28.8	0.0
Memphis	33	23.1	†0.1
Fort Smith	22	8.4	†2.8
Little Rock	23	12.0	-0.3
Vicksburg	41	45.0	-0.3
Shreveport	29	30.0	-0.6
New Orleans	13	14.0	-0.1
Hermann	..	4.5	-0.2
Arlington	..	3.4	-0.1
Louisiana	..	5.2	-0.2
Decatur	..	....	....
Peoria	..	9.9	-0.1
Grand Tower	.	10.4	0.0
Helena	..	.....	..

† Rise. - Fall.

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River News.

ARRIVALS.

Spread Eagle, Grafton; Dora, Clarksville; St. Paul, Keokuk.

DEPARTURES.

Spread Eagle, Grafton; Gem City, Keokuk; Crystal City, Grand Tower; City of Vicksburg, Natchez.

NOTES.

The weather is clear and pleasant; wind from the South: river stationary; gauge 13 feet.

The steamer Idlewild arrived yesterday from the Cape with 700 head of stock. This is one of the largest trips of stock this season.

The Anchor Line steamer City of Hickman will soon be completed and ready to go into commission. She will be commanded by Capt. Tom W. Shields.

The fast Spread Eagle arrives every morning from Alton with a large number of passengers.

The Anchor Line steamers Crystal City and City of Vicksburg depart this afternoon for the South.

All the upper rivers are falling and the Missouri is unusually low for the season of the year.

The Gem City repairs have been finished, and she will depart for Keokuk this afternoon.

Schwartz Bros.' reliable Dora arrived from Clarksville, and will return to-morrow at 4 p. m. for the same port.

River Telegrams.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., May 20.—River 26 feet, rising. Clear, pleasant.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 20.—River 7 feet 8 inches, rising. Cloudy.

WHEELING, W. Va., May 20.—River 13 feet, rising. Raining.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 20.—River stationary; 11 feet 11 inches in the canal; 9 feet 7 inches on the falls. Clear and cool.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 20.—River falling. No arrivals or departures. Clear and warm.

CAIRO, Ill., May 20.—Arrived: J. F. Walton, Ohio, 8 a. m.; W. H. Cherry, Ohio, 6 a. m. Departed: Cherry, St. Louis, 8 p. m.; Walton, Memphis, noon. River 28 feet 9 inches, falling. Clear, mild.

CINCINNATI, O., May 20.—River 30 feet 11 inches; rising. Clear. Thermometer 80 degs.

Free River Excursions. Every want advertiser in the next SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH gets a free ticket for a grand excursion on the Grand Republic on Monday, June 2. Music and dancing. Exclusively for want advertisers.

She Has Dropped on It.

From the Transcript.

"Ah, yes," remarked Miss Braine, as the men rushed out at the end of the act, "Now I understand why they call it the drop curtain."

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And you'll oblige both us and yourselves; that's the beauty of Barr's bargains — they work both ways; 20 by 36-inch all-linen huckaback towels, sold regularly at two dollars and a half a dozen, will be offered to-morrow in linen aisle for one-dollar-seventy-five cents a dozen.

And five-quarters square all-linen table cloths, bleached damask, and very fine at 64 cents each. A whole fine damask table cloth for 64 cents.

China Silk Novelties

We're going to have a China silk day at Barr's to-morrow. All the choice, exclusive high novelty patterns of this season, in an extra fine quality silk, for one dollar a yard. The beautiful foulard designs, bright and sombre tinted blossoms and sprays on solid black ground; also the entirely new sprigged silks, apple blossoms, etc., on lovely shades of lavender, green, old rose and so on, all at one dollar.

Barr's Wednesday Bargains

Here's something nice in the way of black goods: Extra fine, soft, light weight camel's hair, smooth surface side bands in satin stripe effects, French goods, 40 inches wide, and sold regularly at eighty-five cents; Barr's price, 60 cents a yard. New and beautiful. Look at it. If we could put a picture of that dahlia colored challi, sprigged with apple blossoms, or the lavender with a trailing vine, in this "ad.," we'd have the town after them; 36 inches wide, only 15 cents, in wash goods aisle. Barr's, St. Louis.

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RECEIPTS TO-DAY.

Cattle	534
Hogs	2,377
Sheep	293
Horses and mules	156

Cattle—At the Union Yards this morning there was an active inquiry for native steers, and desirable grades commanded a shade higher value. The receipts were again much below the normal want, but of the common to fair class of stock the arrivals were amply sufficient to cover the trade that offered to-day. Very few feeders are on the market, although there is a good brisk want for them at as good prices as are paid by any market in the country. Ship in your feeders. Good North Missouri cows and calves are selling well all the way from $26 to $30 in bunches but an occasional one sells for $35 or even more when taken for private use. Veal calves are selling slow at from $4 to $9. Shipping bulls sell for from $2.50 to $2.25 and sausage bulls at former named prices. Common Southwest Missouri cattle sell for from $2.25 to $2.50. Kansas heifers of light weight bring from $2.37½ to $2.75 and better grades at $3.25@3.50.

No.	Description.	Av.	Price.
11	native steers	1,360	$4 50
11	native steers	1,153	4 60
13	native steers	1,233	4 20
12	native cows and heifers	1,165	3 75
10	native heifers	456	2 70
13	native heifers	804	3 60
16	Southwest steers	1,071	3 55
11	native cows	1,283	3 00
10	Southwest steers	1,043	3 70
10	native cows and heifers	838	3 50
10	Kansas heifers	448	2 70
11	native steers	1,320	4 55
13	native steers	1,216	4 50

20 native cows and calves, $29.
21 native cows and calves, $28.
229 retail from $2.50 to $4.75.

Hogs—There was a good brisk trade to-day in hogs at the Union Stock Yards, with the closing prices of yesterday prevailing. The extreme range was $3.50 to $4.05, with the bulk $3.90 to $4. Some sales of choice fancy hogs were made at $4.07½. The receipts were liberal and all of the pens were emptied by the noon close.

The representative sales to-day were as follows:

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
64	199	$4 07½	76	226	$4 07½
65	216	4 05	57	168	3 90
49	201	4 00	78	197	4 00
71	207	4 00	60	243	4 00
76	212	4 00	69	195	3 90
61	176	4 00	59	170	4 00
70	200	4 00	64	177	3 95
68	192	4 00	60	211	4 00
155	191	4 00	63	209	4 05
58	180	3 85	65	147	3 75
57	216	4 05	50	194	4 00
52	220	4 00	52	216	4 05
83	137	3 60	72	157	3 85
69	163	3 90	49	196	3 95

Sheep—Everything from common to fair and choice to fancy sheep are wanted, and wanted badly. More sheep arrived yesterday than on any Monday for some time, but there was a slacking off again today and the demand was three times over. It looks now as though the receipts would be less by 1,000 head this week than the trade calls for. Send in good sheep, they will all be sold. The representative sales to-day were:

No.	Av.	Price.
18 native	81	$4 25
4 native	67	3 25
10 native	114	4 50
2 native	85	4 67½
11 native	79	4 00

5 lambs, per head, $2.50.
1 buck, $2.50.

Addenda.

Farley & Persinger, from McFall, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market and sold at good prices.

H. C. Newmeyer, from Atlanta, Mo., had cattle and hogs on to-day's market.

L. C. Anthony, from Centralia, Mo., had cattle and hogs on to-day's market.

F. M. Bartlett, from Wayland, Mo., had cattle and hogs on to-day's market.

B. I. Morris, from Farmington, Mo., had cattle and hogs on to-day's market.

G. Cartwright, from Alton, Ill., had hogs on to-day's market.

John Steiner, from Portage, Mo., had hogs and cattle on to-day's market.

M. Dobbs, from Exeter, Mo., had stock on to-day's market.

B. Smith, from Owens, Mo., had cattle on the market.

L. Faling, from Alton, Ill., had cattle on to-day's market.

W. N. Ande, from Mexico, Mo., had cattle and hogs on to-day's market.

F. Whitcomb, from Mexico, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market.

C. L. Harper & Son, from Montgomery, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market.

Ray & Durrett of Canton, Mo., marketed two cars of cattle.

J. T. Gilmore, Silex, Mo., marketed a car of cattle and hogs.

F. Mudd, Silex, Mo., har a car of hogs to-day.

E. E. Swink, Farmington, Mo., had a car of sheep on to-day's market.

W. Baumeister, Hurricane, Mo., had a car of hogs to-day.

J. P. McCall from Wellsville, Mo., had cattle on to-day's market.

D. E. Langdon from Houstona, Mo., had cattle on to-day's market.

C. Lux from Spring Garden had hogs and sheep on to-day's market.

W. R. Pendington from New Florence, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market.

Craig & Parks from New Hope, Mo., had cattle and hogs on to-day's market.

J. F. Wright, from Columbia, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market.

P. Farrell, from Foristell, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market.

H. B. Snelton, from Montgomery, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market.

H. B. Whitener, from Glen Allen, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market.

Springer & Shaffer was on the market and bought some fine native cattle at top prices.

H. Hover purchased some fine cattle to-day at top prices, $4.50, and bids higher, and select at $5.75.

A. Duff of Silex, Mo., had cattle on to-day's market and sold at top prices.

E. M. Pringle, from Foristell, Mo., had hogs on to-day's market.

Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—Hogs—Receipts, 18,500. Market active; light, $4@4.25; rough packing, $4.05@4.25; heavy packing and shipping $4.10@4.30. Cattle—Receipts, 8,500. Market quiet and weak; heavy cattle, $3.75@5; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.10; Texas grassers, $2.40@3.40. Sheep—Receipts, 3,450; market strong; $4.@6.50. Lambs, $5.25@7.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,900; shipments, 3,000; market 10@5c lower; steers, $3.50@5; cows, $2.@3.75; stockers and feeders, $3.25@3.85. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; shipments, none; market 7½@10c lower; all grades, $3.80@3.90; bulk, $3.82½@3.87½. Sheep—Receipts, 200; shipments, 1,600; market steady; good to choice muttons, $4@5.50; stockers and feeders, $3.60@3.80; lambs, $2.50@4.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 20.—Cattle feeling steady; receipts, 99 loads through; no sale. Sheep and lambs steady; unchanged receipts; 5 loads through; 1 sale. Hogs dull; heavy receipts; 18 loads through; 12 sale; heavy $4.25@4.27½; pigs, $4.

Marine.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Arrived: Steamers La Champagne from Havre and Ems from Bremen.

LONDON, May 20.—The steamer Moravia, from New York for Hamburg, passed the Lizard this morning.

FINANCIAL.

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THE WEATHER.

Daily Weather Bulletin.

The following observations are taken at 6:09 a. m., local time, 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, at all stations:

SIGNAL OFFICE, ST. LOUIS, May 20, 1890.

STATIONS.	Height of Barometer.	Thermometer	Wind, direction.	Rainfall in 24 h'rs, inches	State of Weather.
St. Louis, Mo.	30.12	56	NE	.	Cloudless
Boston	29.80	68	S	T.	Cloudy.
New York City	29.68	64	SE	.06	Cloudy.
Lynchburg	29.76	62	NW	.82	Cloudless
Washington City	29.66	54	W	.94	Rain.
Charlotte, N. C.	29.82	66	NW	.32	Cloudless
Wilmington, N. C.	29.78	68	W	.72	Rain.
Charleston, S. C.	29.78	72	NW	.60	Cloudy.
Augusta, Ga	29.86	68	NW	.42	Cloudless
Jacksonville, Fla.	29.86	72	W	.46	Pt. Cldy.
Atlanta, Ga	29.92	60	NW	.20	Cloudless
Pensacola, Fla.	29.98	68	N	.02	Cloudless
Montgomery, Ala	29.98	62	NW	.86	Cloudless
Vicksburg	30.02	68	NW	..	Cloudless
New Orleans	30.02	72	N	.42	Cloudless
Shreveport	30.02	68	NE	..	Cloudless
Fort Smith, Ark.	30.08	62	NE	....	Cloudless
Little Rock	30.06	64	NW	....	Cloudless
Palestine, Tex.	30.04	66	NE	..	Cloudless
Galveston	30.02	76	SE	.08	Pt. Cldy.
San Antonio	30.04	68	E	.02	Cloudy.
Brownsville, Tex	30.00	78	E	..	Cloudy.
Memphis	30.06	64	N	.26	Cloudy.
Nashville	30.04	56	N	.84	Cloudy.
Chattanooga	30.00	62	NW	.66	Cloudless
Louisville	30.04	52	W	.50	Cloudless
Indianapolis	30.00	48	NW	.02	Cloudless
Cincinnati	30.00	48	NW	.32	Cloudy.
Parkersburg, W. Va.	29.88	54	W	.62	Cloudy.
Pittsburg	29.84	56	NE	.82	Cloudy.
Oswego, N. Y.	29.70	44	N	1.34	Rain.
Buffalo, N. Y.	29.78	44	NE	1.20	Rain.
Cleveland, O.	29.92	46	N	.82	Rain.
Toledo, O.	29.78	44	N	.18	Cloudy.
Port Huron, Mich	29.96	44	N	.06	Cloudy.
Chicago	30.08	44	NE	..	Cloudless
Milwaukee	30.08	44	N	..	Cloudless
Grand Haven, Mich.	30.04	44	N	..	Cloudless
Manistee, Mich	30.08	40	N	...	Cloudy.
Sault Ste. Marie	30.02	44	E	.01	Cloudless
Marquette, Mich.	30.06	36	N	.01	Cloudy.
Duluth, Minn	30.00	38	NE	.02	Cloudy.
P. A. L'ding, N. W. T	30.06	36	E	....	Cloudy.
St. Paul	29.96	44	E	....	Cloudless
La Crosse	30.06	44	S	...	Cloudless
Dubuque	30.06	50	Calm	....	Cloudless
Davenport	30.08	52	Calm	....	Cloudless
Des Moines	30.02	48	SE	....	Cloudless
Keokuk	30.08	52	NE	..	Cloudless
Springfield, Ill.	30.08	50	Calm	..	Cloudless
Cairo, Ill.	30.06	58	N	....	Cloudless
Springfield, Mo.	30.06	56	E	..	Ptly Cldy
Kansas City	30.06	54	E	....	Ptly Cldy
Wichita, Kan.	29.96	60	SE	.	Ptly Cldy
Concordia, Kan.	29.92	56	S	T.	Ptly Cldy
Omaha	30.02	54	S	T.	Rain.
Valentine, Neb.	29.72	54	SE	.04	Cloudless
Fort Sully, S. Dak	29.74	48	NE	.08	Cloudy.
Huron, S. Dak	29.80	50	SE	...	Rain.
Moorhead	29.94	38	N	.02	Cloudless
St. Vincent	30.02	34	NE	....	Pt. Cldy.
Bismarck	29.92	38	NE	...	Cloudy.
Fort Buford	29.88	40	E	...	Cloudy.
Q'Appelle, N. W. T.	29.96	36	SE	.08	Pt. Cldy.
Minnedosa, N. W. T.	30.00	32	E	...	Pt. Cldy.
Calgarry, N. W. T.	29.70	46	Calm	.	Cloudless
Fort Assinaboine	29.76	42	SW	.08	Cloudy.
Helena, Mont	29.94	50	SW	.20	Cloudless
Fort Custer, Mont	29.92	50	NW	...	Cloudless
Rapid City, Dak.	29.68	50	NE	....	Cloudless
Fort Washakie, Wyo	29.82	54	NW	..	Pt. Cldy.
Salt Lake City	29.88	58	NE	...	Cloudless
Cheyenne	29.74	56	SW	...	Pt. Cldy.
North Platte	29.76	58	SE	..	Cloudless
Denver	29.74	54	N	....	Cloudy.
Montrose, Colo.	.....	..	......	......	...
Pueblo, Colo	29.80	60	SW	...	Cloudy.
Dodge City, Kan.	29.88	60	SW	....	Pt. Cldy.
Fort Elliott, Tex.	30.02	58	S	....	Pt. Cldy.
Fort Sill, I. T.	30.04	62	S	...	Cloudless
Santa Fe, N. M.	29.90	54	NE	....	Cloudless
El Paso, Tex.	29.86	66	NE	....	Cloudless
Abilene, Tex.	30.00	64	SE	...	Cloudless
Portland, Ore.	30.14	52	N	.14	Cloudy.
San Francisco	29.98	50	W	....	Pt. Cldy.
San Diego, Cal.	29.96	60	W	....	Cloudy.

NOTE.—T. indicates trace of precipitation.

W. H. HAMMON, Observer.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—The several areas of lower barometer overlying the country from the Ottawa Valley to Southern Texas have joined in one large depression central in Eastern New York. Two other low areas have appeared in the extreme Northwest and Wyoming. These are separated by a moderate high pressure extending from Lake Superior to the Gulf. The barometer is also high in the North Atlantic and in the North Pacific. Rain has fallen in all districts east of the Mississippi River, being heavy on the Atlantic Coast and over the Lower Lakes. Frosts are reported in Michigan, and the line of freezing temperature is north of Minnesota. No great changes of temperature have occurred. The rivers are above the danger line at Shreveport, 1.2; at Vicksburg, 4.0; New Orleans, 1.0.

Forecast till 8 a. m. Wednesday:

For Illinois, fair followed by rains in northern portion; warmer; southerly winds.

For Missouri—Warmer; southerly winds fine weather followed by rain in northern portion to-night.

For Iowa—Increasing cloudiness and rain; warmer; southerly winds.

For Kansas—Fair weather except rains to-night in northeast portion; warmer; southerly winds.

The rivers will fall.

MONEY.

New York Stock Quotations,

Corrected daily by Whitaker & Hodgman, successors to Matthews & Whitaker, bond and stock brokers, 300 North Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 20.

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Atchison	48¼	50⅛	48⅛	50
Canada Southern	60¾	60¾	60¼	60½
Canadian Pacific	81½	81¾	81½	81½
Central New Jersey	127	......	......	127
Central Pacific	.....	.....	.....	.....
C., C., C. & I.	78½	80	78½	79¼
Chicago Gas Trust	62⅜	63½	62	62¾
Chi., St. P., M. & O.	36	.....	.....	36
Chi., St. P., M. & O., pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chicago, R. I. & P.	95¼	95½	94⅞	95⅜
C., B. & Q.	108¾	108¾	108⅝	108⅝
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	76⅛	76½	75⅞	76⅜
Chi., Mil. & St. P., pfd.	120½	120½	120	120¼
Chi. & N. W., com	115⅝	115⅝	115	115¼
Cotton Oil Trust, new stock	30¾	30⅞	30¼	30⅞
Cotton Oil Trust, old stock	33¾	34	33½	33¾
Del., Lack. & Western	147⅞	147⅞	147	147
Delaware & Hudson	172	172	171	171
Denver & Rio Grande	19⅛	19½	19⅛	19⅛
East Tennessee, com	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Tennessee, pfd	28¼	.....	.....	28¼
Erie, com	29⅜	29⅜	29⅛	29⅜
Erie, pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Erie 2d mortgage bonds	105⅞	.....	.....	105⅞
Fort Worth & Denver	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hocking Valley	25¼	25¼	25⅛	25¼
Houston & Texas	.....	.....	.....	.....
Illinois Central	.....	.....	.....	.....
I., B. & W.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Laclede Gas com	26¾	24¾	26¾	26
Laclede Gas pfd	68½	.....	.....	68½
Laclede Gas 5 per cent bonds	87½	.....	.....	87½
Lake Erie & Western, com	19⅝	19⅝	19⅛	19½
Lake Erie & Western, pfd	66¼	66⅝	66¼	66⅝
Lake Shore	111¾	111⅞	111⅝	111¾
Louisville & Nashville	91½	91½	91⅛	91¼
Lead Trust	23⅜	23⅞	23¼	23⅜
Michigan Central	.....	.....	.....	.....
Missouri Pacific	76⅞	76½	75⅞	76⅜
M., K. & T.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mobile & Ohio	18¾	.....	.....	18¾
Manhattan Elevated	116⅛	116⅛	115¼	115¾
New York & New England	50¾	51	49⅞	50½
New York Central	109½	109½	109¼	109⅜
Norfolk & Western, com	24¾	24¾	24½	24½
Norfolk & Western, pfd	65	65½	65	65½
Northern Pacific, com	37⅝	38¼	37¼	37½
Northern Pacific, pfd	85¼	86	85⅛	85⅝
Ohio Southern	18	20¼	18	20
Oregon & Trans	48¼	48⅝	47¼	47⅞
Oregon Nav. & Trans.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ohio & Miss., com	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pacific Mail	45¼	45¾	45	45
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philadelphia & Reading	47⅝	48	47	47⅝
Pullman Palace Car	197¼	197½	197	197
Richmond Terminal	25⅛	26⅞	24⅝	26⅞
St. Paul & Duluth, com	36½	37	36½	37
St. Paul & Duluth, pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sugar Trust	89⅝	93½	89½	93
St. L. & S. F., com	35	.....	.....	35
St. L. & S. F., 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. L. & S. F., 2d pfd	64¼	65	64¼	65
St. P., M. & M.	114	.....	.....	114
Tennessee Coal & Iron	55¼	55½	53	54¾
Texas & Pacific	24	24½	23⅞	24
Union Pacific	66⅛	67	66⅛	67
W., St. L. & P., new	14	.....	.....	14
W., St. L. & P., pfd. new	30¾	30⅞	30¼	30⅞
Western Union Tel. Co.	86	86	85¾	86
West Shore bonds	106	.....	.....	106

Wall Street.

NEW YORK, May 20, 11 a. m.—The reactionary temper in stocks which was so prominent yesterday reappeared again this morning; notwithstanding the rally of the last hour last evening and London coming materially lower this morning, our market followed with declines of from ⅛ to ½ per cent generally, while Louisville & Nashville was down ¾. The same stocks, including Atchison, Oregon Transcontinental, Reading, Lackawanna, Texas Pacific and Richmond & West Point led in the dealings in the general list, though the only specially active stock was Sugar Refineries. The reaction went but little farther, however, as after slight further declines in most stocks, a strong tone was developed which extended to all portions of the market, and in Sugar Refineries and C., C., C. & St. L. especially great strength was shown. The former rose to 91¾, a gain of 1¾, and the latter to 79⅞, a gain of 1⅜ per cent. The movements in the rest of the list were unimportant, and except in the stocks mentioned business done was small. At 11 o'clock, however, the market was active and strong at the best prices reached.

Noon—Money is close at 6@7 per cent. Bar silver, $1.03½@1.04. Outside of Atchison, Oregon Transcontinental and Sugar Refineries, the dealings in the stock market after 11 o'clock were quite small, though there was a fair business transacted in the list. Prices became weaker at 11 o'clock, and in some cases all the improvement of the first hour was lost, Oregon Transcontinental leading the decline, touching 47¼c against 48½c at the opening. The losses in the others, however, were generally unimportant, and late in the hour a rally took place, and at noon the market was fairly active and firm to strong at small fractions better than the opening prices.

3 p. m.—Money closed close at 8 per cent. The stock market closed quiet and strong at the best figures of the day.

BOSTON, Mass., May 20.—Mexican 4s, 74@¼; stock, 28¾@29; Allouez, 6⅜@¼; Calumet, 305@307; Huron, 3⅞@4.

LONDON, May 20.—4 p. m.—Consols, 98 7-16 for both money and the account; A. & G. W. 1sts, 41½; Canadian Pacific, 3¾; Erie, 30⅛; do seconds, 105½; Illinois Central, 120½; Mexican Ordinary, 44⅝; St. Paul Common, 78½; Pennsylvania, 56½; Reading, 24⅛; Mexican Central new 4s, 78.

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Chicago	40 premium
Cincinnati	par
Louisville	par
New Orleans	par

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4 ₽ cent bonds	1907	J. A. J. & O.	121¾	122¼
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City 3-65 sterling	1907	June and Dec	101¼	102¼
City 4s sterling 10-20s	1902	May and Nov	102	106¼
City 4s sterling 10-20s	1895	June and Dec	106	109
City 5s sterling 10-20s	1900	June and Dec	101	102
City 5s	1900	Jan. and July	110	112
City 6s, gold	1892—93	Various	105¾	106¼
City 6s, sterling	1898	June and Dec	114	116
City 6s, water	1899	June and Dec	115	117
City 6s, water	1892	April and Oct	105	106
City 6s, bridge approach	1892	June and Dec	106	104
County 6s, gold	1895—96	Jan. and July	109	110
County Park	1905	April and Oct	125	126
RAILWAY BONDS.				
Mo. Pac. consols	1920	May and Nov	109	110
Mo. Pac. 3d	1895	May and Nov	118	120
No. Mo. 1st m 7s	1895	Jan. and July	116	116½
K. P. 1st m 6s	1896	Feb. and Aug	110½	111
K. P. 1st m 6s	1896	June and Dec	111½	112
K. P. D. Ex. 6s	1899	May and Nov	114½	115
K. P. consols	1910	May and Nov	116¼	117
St. L. & M. 1st 7s	1892	Feb. and Aug	104	104½

CLEARING-HOUSE STATEMENT.

Clearances	$3,850,043
Balances	450,079

Are Women Smarter Than Men?

From the Chicago Tribune.

From this place the writer went into the office of a man who has a school of typewriters. That is, he instructs men and women to operate typewriters and assists them in getting work. I asked him for the result of his observations. He replied:

"Women learn quicker than men. They are more in demand than men. They give better satisfaction, as a rule, I mean, than men. And there is another thing I want to tell you," he said. "A few years ago, when women first began learning how to operate the typewriter and began getting work, a cry went up among men about cheap female labor. In the last twelve months I have known of a number of cases in which men have not only offered to do this work for less than women, but have undertaken to get the places by means that were not creditable. I am not a woman's rights man by any means, but it is my observation that the woman of to-day who is put on her mettle surpasses her brother."

Boss Quay's Attitude.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

Boss Quay will not resign. If his party is not ashamed of him, why should he be ashamed of his past?

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS IN BRIEF.

WHEAT—Higher. Cash No. 2 red sold at 93 3-4@94c and July closed at 91 1-2c bid.

CORN—Cash No. 2 lower at 34 1-8@33 1-2c and No. 3 at 33 5-8@33 1-2c. Futures higher, July closing at 32 5-8c.

OATS—Cash No. 2 offered at 29 3-4c and July closed at 25 3-4c.

FLOUR—Buyers holding off and market dull.

Closing Prices—1:15 P. M.

ST. LOUIS:

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
May.	94 b	93	93	94½ b
June	93 b	93	93	94½ b
July.	90⅛@¼ a	91¾	89¾	91½ b
Aug.	89½@⅝ a	90⅞	89¼	90⅞
Sept	90	90	90	91 n
Dec.	92 b	93¼@⅜	91¾	93¼@⅜
CORN.				
May.	33¼ a	32⅞	32¾	32⅞
June	32⅛@¼ b			32⅝ n
July.	32⅛ b	32⅝	32⅛	32⅝ b
Sept	32¾ a	32⅞	32⅛	32⅞
Aug.	33¼ a	...	...	33⅞ n
Oct..	34 b	....	....	34¼ b
OATS.				
May.	25¾ a	...		28 b
June		...		...
July.	25⅞ a	25¾	25⅝	25¾

CHICAGO.—Reported by Frank J. Brown, rooms 130 and 132, Chamber of Commerce.

WHEAT.				
May.	94	95¼	93¾	95¼
July.	93¼	94½	92½	94½
CORN.				
May.	33½	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
July.	34	34¼	33¾	34¼
OATS.				
July.	25⅞	26½	25⅞	26½
PORK.				
July.	12.30	12.40	12.30	12.40
LARD.				
July.	6.32½	6.32½	6.32½	6.32½

Short ribs closed at 5.35c June and 5.45c July; September, 5.60c.

NEW YORK—Wheat—May, $1.00 a; June, 99c; July, 97½c b; August, 95⅝c b; September, 95⅛c; December, 97¼c a. Corn—May, 48⅛c; June, 40⅝c b; July, 41⅝c b; August, 41⅞c b; September, 42⅝c b. Oats—May, 33⅞c b; June, 33¼c b; July, 33c a.

TOLEDO—Wheat—May, 94½c b; July, 94⅞c; August, 92⅞c.

Receipts and Shipments of Leading Articles at St. Louis

For the twenty-four hours ending Tuesday, May 20, 1890, and corresponding day in 1889, as reported by the Merchants' Exchange:

ARTICLES.	Receipts by River and Rail. 1890.	1889.	Shipments by River and Rail. 1890.	1889.
Flour, bbls	3,511	2,136	13,997	9,317
Wheat, bu.	7,211	4,565	730	14,270
Corn, bu...	168,400	50,110	137,518	53,368
Oats, bu....	71,120	35,015	83,970	43,575
Rye, bu....	1,650	1,704	2,450	1,400
Barley, bu.	1,950	....	....	....
Bran, Ship-stuffs, sks	499	829	5,315	3,981
Do. in bulk, cars......	1	2	5	1
Cornmeal, bbls......	....	....	1,065	2,154
Cotton, bls, local......	95	86	998	450
Cotton, bls, through..	37	106		
Hay, tons..	488	475	270	212
Pork, bbls.			134	12
Hams, lbs..	96,265	71,455	140,373	23,948
Meats, lbs..	830,305	407,075	921,240	565,736
Lard, lbs...	762,683	2,760	787,493	404,705
Cattle, head	3,128	2,166	469	727
Hogs, head	9,327	2,661	594	410
Sheep, head	2,784	860	....	1,442
Horses and mules....	228	214	183	178

Movements of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

	RECEIPTS. Wheat.	Corn.	SHIPMENTS. Wheat.	Corn.
St. Louis...	7,211	168,400	730	137,518
Milwaukee..	24,750	1,160	2,200	
Baltimore...	17,511	58,267	.....	8,571
Toledo	5,888	49,761	2,250	4,840
New York..	98,200	96,650	65,939	105,972
Chicago	45,158	234,978	16,333	268,013
Kansas City	......	......	......	......
Detroit.....	14,409	8,833	1,689	4,589
Duluth......	25,514	......	73,680	
Minneapolis	65,540	......	17,690	
Philadel'hia	1,346	31,136	2,258	30,684

Stock of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Wheat bu.	Corn bu.	Oats bu.	Rye bu.	Barley bu.
T-d	545,445	408,315	93,864	4,439	3,805
Ys	562,287	393,657	59,242	3,886	6,375
'89	757,068	1,200,601	132,182	20,920	25,344
	No. 2 Red.	No. 2.	No. 2.	No. 2.	
T-d	495,616	195,254	22,939	3,200	.....
Yst	510,778	189,852	10,680	2,013	.....
'89	370,989	1,009,768	53,876	17,312	.....

No. 2 white corn, 166,526 bu.

Available Supply of Grain.

	Wheat.	Corn.
Visible supply	22,695,000	11,096,000
On ocean passage	29,864,000	9,625,000
Total May 17, 1890	52,559,000	20,721,000
Total May 10, 1890	50,074,000	21,452,000
Total May 18, 1889	38,319,000	13,404,000
Total May 19, 1888	50,734,000	10,611,000

Exports From Atlantic Seaboard

From September 1 to May 17 for flour and grain, and from November 1 to May 17 for provisions:

	1889-90.	1888-89.	1887-88.
Flour, bbls..	7,297,722	5,212,039	8,353,397
Wheat, bu..	16,260,557	7,987,810	22,496,196
Corn, bu...	74,857,916	50,849,629	16,062,439
Pork, lbs...	41,483,600	30,268,600	26,272,800
Bacon, lbs.	310,747,714	227,170,010	205,495,925
Lard, lbs ...	260,480,273	193,930,721	149,551,939

Amount on Ocean Passage.

On passage to United Kingdom:

	May 17, '90.	May 10, '90.	May 18, '89.
Wheat and Flour, bu....	22,824,000	21,400,000	13,080,000
Corn, bu......	6,120,000	6,017,000	2,417,000
On passage to the Continent:			
Wheat, bu...	7,040,000	5,872,000	2,896,000
Corn, bu.....	3,505,000	4,020,000	1,294,000

Grain Inspections.

INSPECTED IN:

Wheat.	Cars.	Corn.	Cars.
No. 2 red............	1	No. 2............	140
No. 3 red............	—	No. 3	4
No. 4....................	—	No. 4	3
Rejected	5	No. 2 white.........	36
No. 2 hard winter.....	—	No. 3 white........	3
No. 3 hard winter.....	—	No. 2 yellow	—
Smoked	—	No-grade	—
Total	6	Total	186

Oats—No. 2, 20 cars; No. 3, 6; No. 2 white, 6; No. 3 do, 28; no grade, —; total, 60.

Rye—No. 2, — car; No. 3, —.

Barley—No. 2 spring, — cars; rejected, —.

Inspection out: Wheat—No. 2 red, 12 cars; No. 3 red, —; No. 4, —; rejected, 5; No. 2 hard, —.

Corn—No. 2, 6,253 bu and 9 cars; No. 3, 9 cars; No. 4, 5; No. 2 yellow, —; No. 2 white, —; No. 3 do, —; no grade, —; No. 2 St. Charles, —.

Oats—No. 2, 12 cars; No. 3, 5; No. 2 white, 5; No. 3 do, 18; no grade, —.

Rye—No. 2, — car; No. 3, 2; no grade, —.

Barley—No. 3 spring, — car; rejected, —.

Future Sales To-Day.

Wheat—May—10 at 93c. July—25 at 89¾c, 30 at 89¾@⅞c, 70 at 89⅞c, 50 at 89⅞@90c, 215 at 90c, 10 at 90@⅛c, 40 at 90⅛c, 10 at 90¼@⅛c, 75 at 90¼c, 70 at 90¼@⅜c, 115 at 90⅜c, 50 at 90⅜@½c, 170 at 90½c, 35 at 90⅝c, 40 at 90¾c, 175 at 91c, 50 at 91@⅛c, 85 at 91⅛c, 60 at 91¼c, 10 at 91⅜c, 40 at 91½c, 30 at 91½@⅝c, 25 at 91⅝c, 40 at 91¾c. August—125 at 89⅛c, 20 at 89¼@⅜c, 45 at 89⅜c, 30 at 89⅜@½c, 40 at 89½c, 125 at 89¾c, 20 at 89¾@⅞c; 10 at 90c, 75 at 90¼c, 10 at 90⅜c. September—15 at 90c. December—60 at 91⅜c, 40 at 91⅞c, 65 at 92c, 15 at 92⅛c, 35 at 92⅜c, 45 at 92½c, 25 at 92¾c, 25 at 93c, 10 at 93¼@⅜c.

Corn—May—15 at 32¾c, 25 at 32⅞c. July—5 at 32⅛c, 70 at 32¼@⅛c, 120 at 32⅜c, 70 at 32⅜@½c, 20 at 32½c, 10 at 32½@⅝c, 25 at 32⅝c. August—20 at 32⅜c, 15 at 32½c, 20 at 32¾c, 10 at 32⅝@⅞c, 10 at 32⅞c.

Oats—July—15 at 25⅜c, 20 at 25½c, 10 at 25½@⅝c, 10 at 25½@¾c, 5 at 25¾c.

ST. LOUIS MARKETS.

Grain and Flour.

Wheat—Bright sunshine, quiet and lower cables, a 2,600,000 bu. increase in amount on ocean passage, where it decreased 160,000 bu. one year ago and a sharply lower New York and Chicago failed to smash the local market at the opening. There were sellers then ⅛c lower at 90c for July, but the buying at once became strong and put the price to 90⅛c. Some selling orders of sufficient magnitude came in and broke the price to 89⅝c, but it soon rallied and subsequently the market was very strong, local traders paying little attention to any weakness displayed elsewhere. Reports received here were uniformly bad regarding crop prospects in the winter wheat section, wheat turning into cheat and flies appearing in great number, with many farmers ploughing up their wheat fields. This was what kept alive the bullish feeling here and held many off from selling. Taking advantage of the light offerings and the timidity of the bears the price was jumped up on them rapidly, late and July under Ryan's handling went to 91⅝c. The close was strong at 91½c bid and 1⅜c above yesterday. May and June sold early at 93c. August opened ⅛c off at 89⅛c, sold down to [illegible] and up to 90⅞c at close. September sold at 90c. December ranged from 91⅜ to 93⅜@½c, closing at the top. SPOT GRADES—Yesterday p. m. 5,000 bu regular No. 2 red sold at 94c. To-day the market was weak early and declined, an order buyer taking 10,000 bu No. 2 red E. side at 93⅜c for shipment to a Southern mill, and at same time offered at that in any house this side. Later a car sold in St. L. at 94c and at close the holder of the stock withdrew all offerings. SAMPLES—There were only light offerings and the local millers were not anxious, so that the market was slow. Sales: Special bin—1 car rejected at 60c, 1 at 68c, 1 at 75c. Track this side—1 car No. 2 at 93¾c, 1 at 95c. East track—1 car at 95c. Sacks—58 at 65c, 17 at 73c, 74 at 75c, 25 at 83c, 85 at 86c, 205 91c, 418 at 93c, 70 at 94¼c, 1,052 at 95c.

Corn—Receipts were liberal for a Tuesday, 125,000 bu stopping here, and with clear weather and declines elsewhere, weakened the market, July selling early at 32¼c to 32⅛c. The price gradually recovered and on the late bulge in wheat went up to 32⅝c, which was bid at close and ½c above yesterday. May sold at 32¾c to 32⅞c and August at 32⅜c to 32⅞c. No. 2 white for May offered at 35c, bid 34⅞c, June at 34c, bid 33½c, July at 34⅜c, bid 34c. SPOT GRADES were lower and on the call exhibited decided weakness, buyers showing a disposition to run away from the offerings that were pressed for sale. No. 2 was in export demand, but declined 1c to 33½c, though that bid at close. Sales—No. 2—32 cars regular at 33½c, 10 at 33⅝c, 10 do at 33¾c, 2 in C. at 34c, 1 in St. L. and 6 in C. at 34⅛c, 10,000 bu regular (early) at 34⅛c, 15,000 do at 34¼c. No. 2 white—1 car regular at 34¾c, 2 in C. and 14 in St. L. at 35c, for more regular 34½c bid. No. 3 white—1 car E. side at 34¼c; bid 34c for C. 34¼c for St. L. No. 3, 2 cars in C at 33¼c, 1 in do at 33⅜c; regular offered at 33c and that bid E side. 33⅝c for St. L. and W. No 4, 2 cars in Cdit at 32½c. SAMPLES—116 sks damaged St. Charles and 500 bu colony in store at 36c, 3 cars No. 2 color in s. b. at 34⅝c.

Oats—Some long July came out for sale and broke the price to 25⅜c, but after this was disposed of the market stiffened to 25¾c and that was bid at close. SPOT GRADES were dull and No. 3 sold lower—1 car in U. at 29¼c. No. 2 was offered regular at 29¾c, but no bids worthy of consideration were heard of. SAMPLES—Offerings were again large, but the market continued firm for all grades at unchanged prices. Sales—2 cars No. 3 at 29½c, 2 No. 2 at 29¾c, 6 do at 30c, 6 No. 3 white at 29¾c, 4 do at 30c. 4 No. 2 Northern mixed at 30½c, 1 do at 31c, 2 No. 2 white at 30¾c, 2 do at 31c, 1 No. 3 East side at 29¼c, 1 No. 2 do at 29½c.

Rye—There were no offerings. Bids for No. 2 were 52c regular and 53c E. side, and for No. 3 were 50c regular, 51c E. side.

Flour—Trading was light, sellers holding firm and buyers standing off, only buying what they were compelled to have to supply their immediate wants. Sales—bbls—50 at $4.35; 200 at $4.45; 300 at $4.48; 150 at $4.85; 150 at $4.90; 600 p. t. Sacks—150 at $2.00; 210 at $2.15; 80 at $3.00; 235 p. t.

Quotations range: XXX $2.40@2.50; family, $2.60@2.70; choice, $3@3.20; fancy, $3.85@4; extra fancy, $4.40@4.50; patents, $4.80@4.90;. Prices for lots at depot and on levee this side.

Cornmeal—Very firm at $2.00@2.05, and pearl meal, grits and hominy at $2.40@2.50.

Rye Flour—Steady at $3@3.10.

Hay and Mill Feed.

Bran—Very little to-day. The offerings were ample for the demand, some shippers reselling their stock, and the price was lower. Sales: 3 cars sacked East St. Louis at 63c; 2 do at 62c; 2 at country point at 61c, 200 sacks on direct order at 66½c, 100 on track this side 65c, 65 do shipstuff at 66c. Bulk—2 cars bran and 2 cars shipstuff at country point at 47c.

Hay—The receipts of prairie were very heavy this morning and in consequence the market was dull and lower, but of timothy the offerings were moderate. Only fancy grades, however, were in good demand. Buyers look for lower prices. Sales—2 cars clover mixed at $7.50, 1 do at $8, 100 at $8.50, 4 do at $9, 2 prairie timothy at $9, 2 do at $10, 3 do at $11, 1 choice at $13, 1 do at $13.50, 2 gilt edge at $16, 1 prime East side at $10, 1 fancy do at $14, 2 prairie at $8.

Provisions.

Yesterday evening several sales were made to-arrive c. and f. here; a car mixed bellies at 5.40c for dry salt and 6⅛c for sweet pickled; a car fully-cured dry salt shorts, 40@45-lbs average, at 5.37c; 2 cars green, 16-lb hams for May, at 8.40c, and 1 car 16-lb cash delivery at 8⅜c. To-day there was no change in the market, which was steady and dull. A lot of 50 boxes bacon c'ribs sold at 5.97½c, and 75,000 lbs fully cured dry salt c'ribs on p. t. Fully cured shorts, 40-lb average, offered at 5.40c c. and f. here.

Pork—Standard mess pork in a small way on orders f. o. b. at $12.12½@$12.50 and hard side at $12.25; on orders at $13.50.

Lard—Prime steam nominal at 6c; fancy leaf on cash orders, 7¼c; second brand, 6¾c; kettle rendered, 6⅝c on orders.

Dry Salt Meats—Loose of shipping ages in a small way f. o. b. on cash orders—Shoulders at 5¼c; longs and c'ribs, 5.40c; shorts at 5.60c; boxed shoulders, 5@5⅛c; longs at 5⅜@5.40c, c'ribs at 5.45@5.55c; shorts at 5.55@5.65c. On orders—Boxed shoulders, 5½c; longs, 5⅝c; c'ribs, 5¾c; shorts, 5⅞@7⅛c.

Bacon—Packed shoulders sold at 5⅝c; longs at 5.85c; c'ribs at 5.90@5.95c; shorts at 6c; on orders—shoulders, 5¾c; longs, 6c; c'ribs, 6⅛c; shorts, 6¼c.

Hams—Range from 10@12¼c, as in size or brand.

Country Bacon—Shoulders, 4@4½c; sides, 5½c; hams, 7@7¼c.

Country Lard—Very dull at 4@5½c.

Breakfast Bacon—Sells at 8@9c per lb. Beef—Family, $8.50@10 per bbl: $5@6 per ½-bbl; on orders higher. Dried, 9@10c, and selected 11c per lb. Smoked beef tongues, $4@5 per doz.

Lead and Spelter.

Lead—Congress' action on the tariff bill in knocking out free lead, strengthened the market greatly, especially holders. Yesterday afternoon, 5 cars refined sold at $4 and to-day 1 car soft Missouri and 1 car common this side at same price, but later $4 was bid for all descriptions and $4.05 for chemical hard for June without finding any for sale.

Spelter—Strong at $4.90.

Afternoon Curb.

July wheat sold at 92c, now 91⅝c; puts, 90¾c, and calls, 93⅞c. Chicago—July wheat sold at 95c.

Commercial Notes.

Confidence in bull ranks and nervousness among the bears appears to be the local situation of affairs now.

Sedalia, Mo., reported that 40 to 60 per cent of the wheat in that section proved to be "cheat," and backed this up by orders to buy December wheat.

A gentleman just in from Kansas says that more damage will be heard of from that State shortly than any one now has any idea of.

W. C. Heard of Boonville, Mo., who was on the floor, said: "The wheat on the prairie land is turning into cheat and the farmers are plowing it up."

New Orleans cleared yesterday for Hull, England, 123,500 bu corn.

The "Mark Lane Express" says it is estimated that only a little above 8,000,000 bu English wheat of 1889 remains to be disposed of.

A miller of Canton, Mo., writes Barney Carnegy that farmers are ploughing up wheat, owing to flies and cheat. One farmer ploughed up fifteen out of twenty-five acres, and his neighbors are no better off. A Government crop reporter told the writer that he cannot report northeast of Lewis County at over 50 per cent and around La Belle at over 40.

Exports from seven Atlantic ports last week were 3,435 bbls pork, 9,527,534 lbs bacon and hams, 5,982,466 lbs lard, 636,610 bu wheat, 2,598,955 bu corn, 152,659 bbls flour.

Early to-day Chicago wired that the "Art Club" of St. Louis was trying to hold July at 92⅝c. As July closed there at 94½c, the club must have held it right well.

The Quenemo (Kan.) Mill Co. writes the John Mullally Commission Co. as follows: "The present grain situation in Kansas may be of interest to you. The farmers planted corn early (having dry, favorable weather), listing most of it. Later the cold weather destroyed the seed, the bulk of which is beyond recovery. Farmers are now generally replanting their fields, and in dry ground, which must have quick rains to give any fair expectation of a growing crop. Wheat plant heading out low on ground and heads quite short. The general cloudy weather is all that has saved the crop so far, as we have had no seasonable rains to force the growth. Looks now like a short yield per acre in wheat even with early rains."

Chicago Market Letters.

Special to J. C. Ewald.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Wheat—The general public today run away with the professionals. The latter were bearish on fine weather and increasing receipts, and on a very large increase in cargoes on passage amounting to 2,594,000 bushels. The general public are in the market and when they determined to buy such small affairs as statistics cut but little figure. Bad crop reports continue, but were scarcely glanced at by the average trader, who accepted the situation and bought. As the outside public generally buy and are now in control of the market, we see nothing else to do but to follow their example and buy on break.

Corn—A break was expected on receipts over-running the estimates. The opening was a shade lower, but it soon became evident that no long corn was coming out and the market reacted, closing at top prices and ¼c higher than last night's closing. If present receipts will not break the market we see nothing else to do so, and advise purchase on weak spots, as in corn.

The enormous receipts of oats failed to break this market, which, although weakening a little early, closes strong at the top.

Provisions were dull and uninteresting.

W. G. MCCORMICK & CO.

Special to John P. Grier.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Continued bad reports from winter wheat sections West, South and Southwest, with some reports of fly in this State, brought to our market some outside buying orders with the result predicted in yesterday's letter of a sharp advance here, which continued up to the close, and the highest price was the last one. We still think there are very few pyramid longs in our market, and many more that are short, and we look for a continuance of this strong feeling.

Corn weakened on news of warm weather in Nebraska and selling by receivers, but closed at top price, and as this cereal is low as compared with anything else traded in on our floor, we advise purchases.

Provisions dull, with little trade, except locally.

F. G. LOGAN & CO.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Fruits.

Strawberries—Receipts large—about 4,000 cases. The weather was favorable for shipping and the condition generally good, and there was a good demand from both the local trade and shippers. All arrivals came in on time except the Southeast Missouri, which were about four hours late. There were a few St. Louis County berries on the market this morning and they sold at 90c per gallon. Other prices ranged—Missouri and Kentucky, $2@2.50; Tennessee, $1.75@2.25; Mississippi, $1.50@2.25; Arkansas, $1.50@2 per 6-gallon case.

Apples—Receipts, — bbls. There was no change. The market continues dull, and sales can only be made in a peddling way. Prices range: $3.50@4 per bbl in lots; on orders, 25@50c per bbl more.

Lemons—There was a fair demand. The stocks continue ample for present wants, but all dealers are anticipating an advance, which will come with warm weather. Choice re-packed stock sells readily at $4.50@5.00 per box.

Pineapples—$2.75@3.50 ℔ dozen.

Oranges—Florida is entirely out of the market, the only offerings being California, which sell at $4.50 for Riversides, and $5 per box for Washington navel.

Cocoanuts—$3.75@4.00 per 100; $35@37.50 per 1,000.

Bananas—There is a scarcity and prices have advanced. Choice bunches on orders, $2@3 per bunch.

Cranberries—$12 per bbl and $4.25 per box for Eastern.

Dried Fruit—Dull and weak. Apples—Sun-dried, 4@4½c; evaporated quarters, 8@9c, and rings, 9@10c; peelings, 1½@2c. Peaches—Sun-dried, 2½@3c; evaporated, unpeeled, 6@8c, and peeled, 15@17c.

Vegetables.

Potatoes—Receipts, 2,700 bu. The light receipts are having a telling effect on values of choice stock, which sold higher. Prices range: Minnesota and Wisconsin burbanks and snowflakes, 60@65c; Iowa flukes and peerless, 45@50c; Ajax, 40@45c per bu.

Onions—Receipts — bu. There was a continued good demand for choice stock. Prices range: $1.50@1.75 per ½ bbl sack and $3.75@4.00 per bbl.

Sweet Potatoes—On orders, yellow nansemond, $3@3.25; do red, $3.25; southern queen, $2.40; Bermuda, $2.75 per bbl.

Turnips—Home-grown on orders, $1.50@1.75 per bbl.

Carrots—Home-grown on orders, $2 per bbl.

Parsnips—On orders, $1.75 per bbl.

Horseradish—Home-grown on orders, $3.75@4 per bbl.

Home-Grown Vegetables—On orders—Cauliflower, $2.50@3 per doz; parsley, 25c per doz bunches; soup bunches, 60c per doz; pie plant, 15c per doz; green onions, 12½@15c per doz; radishes, 15@20c for round and long per doz bunches; lettuce, 90c per bu box and $3.50 per bbl; asparagus, 35@50c per doz bunches; spinach, $1.50 per bbl; kale, $1.50 per bbl.

New Southern Vegetables.

Cabbage—Receipts only fair, and there was a good demand for choice stock. Anything not choice, however, sells slowly. Sales—$4.25@$4.50 for choice and $3.50@4 for medium per crate; on orders, 25@50c per crate more.

New Potatoes—Receipts liberal and there was only a fair demand. Condition of some arrivals very poor. Sales $1@1.50 per sack; $2.50@3 per bbl.

Peas—37½@40c per peck box, 65c per ½-bu and $1.75 per bu box.

Cucumbers—Receipts large, and there was only a fair demand at 20@40c per dozen according to size.

Beans—Receipts continued liberal and there was only a fair demand. Sales—75c per round, 65c for flat and $1 for wax per bu box.

Tomatoes—There were larger arrivals of Florida and a good demand at $4@6 per crate.

Squash—There were again large arrivals, the condition showing no improvement and only a fair demand. Sales at 40@50c per crate and $1@2 per bbl.

Poultry and Game.

Live Poultry—Receipts fair and there was a good demand for hens. Spring chickens firm and wanted. Prices range: Hens, 8c; roosters, 4c; turkeys, 7c; ducks, 7c; spring chickens, 18@20c ℔ lb.

Spring Lambs—$1@3 per head as to size.

Veals—Light receipts and there was only a moderate demand. Choice fat stock sells readily, but thin stock drags. Sales—Choice fat, 4½@5c; medium, 3½@4c; thin, 2@2½c; heretics, 1½@2c per lb.

Butter and Eggs.

Butter—Receipts, 52,557 lbs. The market can only be called dull on choice creamery and dairy, while the near-by grass butter was dead dull. There was a shipper on the market who relieved the dealers to some extent of their accumulations of grass stock by taking about 600 pkgs at 3c per lb.

CREAMERY.

Fancy separator........................	14@ 15
Choice separator and set milk............	13@ 14
Fancy gathered cream	13 @14
Choice gathered cream..................	12@ 13
Faulty creamery, such as streaked, slushy and off flavor........	7 @ 8

DAIRY.

Fancy selections..........................	11 @12
Choice dairy...............................	10 @11
Good to fair................................	7 @ 8
Streaked and off flavor....................	2½@ 4
Fancy ladles	7 @ 8
Ladles, seconds and off flavor..........	4 @ 5
Grass, prime near-by......................	3 @ 5
Near-by country packed..................	3 @ 4
Grease......................................	2½@ 3

Cheese—Receipts fair and condition good. There was only a fair trade. The market shows a disposition to fall off a cent or two per lb. Quotations: Fancy new twins, 8½@9c; choice new twins, 8@8½c; off flavored and poor, 4@6c; fancy Young America, 9@10c; choice Young America, 8@9c; soft and off flavor, 6@8c; fancy 1-lb skims, 8@8½c; regular skims, choice, 6@7c; old Swiss, fancy, 15@16c; old Swiss, choice, 13@14c; new brick, fancy, 12@12½c; new brick, choice, 10@11c; new limburger, fancy, 10½@11c; new limburger, choice, 8@10c.

Eggs—Receipts, 1,617 pkgs. Offerings continue large, but the market holds steady at 10¼c, which was freely bid for fresh stock; ¼c to ½c lower for Southern.

Wool.

Receipts, 109,058 lbs. Receipts increasing slowly, though a fair quantity of Territory stock is on the market, mainly from Utah. Missouri and similar wool, now arriving, runs largely to burry and coarse, the proportion of choice medium stock being rather small. Sales reported (original country lots): Missouri, Illinois, etc., 3 sks hard burry at 15½c, 7 do at 16c, 2 fine at 19c, 5 braid at 19c, 5 burry at 20c, 8 do at 21@22½c, 10 medium part burry at 23c, 11 do part coarse at 23⅝c, 7 do at 23½c, 20 medium at 24c, 5 do 24⅛c, 7 fancy at 24¼@24½c. Utah—25,000 lbs p t. Tub—Small lots at 35c to 35½c.

UNWASHED—STATES AND TERRITORIES.	Bright medium.	Braid, coarse.	Low, sandy.
Mo., Ill., Ark., etc ...	23 @24	18@22	16@18
Kansas and Nebraska ..	19 @21	14@17	11@13
Texas and Ind Ty... (8 to 12 mo.	23 @24	18@22	15@17
(4 to 6 mo.	19 @20	14@17	11@13
Colo., New Mexico, etc.	20 @21	16@19	13@15
Mont., Wyo., etc	21 @23	18@20	15@17

UNWASHED—STATES AND TERRITORIES.	FINE. Light.	Heavy.
Mo., Ill., Ark., etc.	20 @21	16@19
Kansas and Nebraska.........	17 @19	13@16
Texas and Indian Territory... (8 to 12 mo....	20 @21	15@18
(4 to 6 mo	16 @18	11@14
Colo., New Mexico, etc	18 @19	13@16
Montana, Wyoming, etc......	19 @21	15@18

Tub—Choice, 35c; inferior at 30@33c. Black, 3@5c off. Sacks—Texas, 3 lbs tare, 10c; regular long sks, 3½ lbs tare, 15c. Burry, cotted, etc.—Slightly, 3@4c off; moderately, 5@6c off. Hard burry, etc., 12@13c for Southern to 15c for Missouri and similar stock.

Hides, Feathers, Etc.

Hides—Market unchanged. The fairly liberal receipts meet with ready sale at following quotations: Green salted — No. 1, 5¾c; No. 2, 4¾c; bull at 4c; pepper boxes or badly grubby at 2c. Dry flint—No. 1, 8¾c; No. 2, skins weighing less than 10 lbs, bulls and stags, all at 7c; dry salted at 7¼c for No. 1 and 6c for No. 2; glue at 2c for green and 4c for dry. Dry flint selling round at 7½@8c for Southern, 6½@7c for extreme Southern; 8¼@9c for heavy Western, and dry salted at 6@6½c; green salted at 4¾@5¼c, later for Missouri, etc.

Tallow—Quiet and steady. Prime and strictly prime in oil bbls, 4c, and cake, 4⅛c; in irregular pkgs, ¼c less; No. 2 at 3½c.

Deer Skins—Market weakening, principal buyers being out at over 23c. We quote nominally: Native skins, 23@24c for prime mountain and Southern Texas, 20@22c: green, salted, damaged, meaty, etc., half price; antelope at 15c; goat, 10@25c.

Sheep Skins—Ready sale at unchanged prices. Green—Large, full-wooled, $1@1.25; medium size and fairly wooled, 60@80c; lambs, 40@60c. Dry, 10@15c less. Shearlings—Green, 10@25c; dry, 5@20c; Texas pelts, 9@12c ℔ lb.

Feathers—Quiet. Prime live geese at 40@41c; top rate for small sacks; prime gray, quilly, unripe, etc., 35c; white, old, at 36c; mixed, old, etc., 15@35c; chickens (dry picked) at 4c; duck at 20c for dark to 30c for white; turkey—body, 3½c; wing and tail, 5c; tare, 3 and 10 per cent.

Beeswax—Firm at 26½c; burnt, half price.

Grass Seeds, Castor Beans, Etc.

Grass Seed—Clover in demand at $2.75@2.80 for low grades, $3@3.15 prime to choice; timothy, $1@1.05 for medium, $1.20 for prime; redtop, 25@30c; German millet, 33@40c; white millet, 25c; Hungarian, 35c. Sales: 1 car millet, p t; 33 sks clover, at $3.33; 12 sks mixed clover at $1.12.

Flax Seed—Steady at $1.50.

Castor Beans—Prime salable at $1.75 for sacked and $2 for car lots.

Hemp Seed—Quotable at 3c for foreign and 4½c for domestic.

Miscellaneous Markets.

White Beans—Common, 50@75c; fair, $1.15; choice navy, $1.50@1.75.

Peas—Green, $1, and Scotch $1.10 per bu.

Roots—Ginseng at $2.50@2.65—large worth more; seneca at 27@28c—toppy less; snake, 24c; blood, 3c; May apple, 3@3½c; golden seal, 20c; angelica, 4½c; pink, 15c; black, 5c; wahoo root bark, 10c, and bark of tree, 7c; blue flag, 5c; bitter sweet bark, 6c.

Moss—Rough — Gray, 2@2½c; brown, 2½@3c; brown mixed with black, 2¾@3¼c; black, 3@3½c.

Nuts—Peanuts, red, 2¼@3½c; white, 4@5c; pecans, Western and Territory, 5@5½c; Texas, 7@9c; hickorynuts, shellbark, 50c; large, 30c; walnuts, 20c; hazelnuts, 2c.

Honey—Comb at 9@10c for inferior to 13@14c for choice; strained and extracted, in can 8@9c; s., in bbls, 5@6c.

Popcorn—Mixed, ¾c; white, 1¼c ℔ lb.

Scrap Iron, Etc.—Wrought, 65c; heavy cast, 50c; plow, 45c; stove plate, 35c; malleable and burnt, 30c. Brass—Heavy, 8c; light, 6c; copper, ½c; lead, 3¼c; zinc, 2½@2¾c; pewter, 6c.

Bones—Green, $12@14; junk and mixed, $15@17; bleached, $18; buffalo, $20 per ton.

Rags, Etc.—Country mixed rags, $1.10; Southern rags, $1; paper, 55c; old rubber, $2.50; old rope, $1.25@2.25.

Baling Stuffs—Bagging strong and in demand. Prices range 2¼-lb bagging at 6½c, 1¾-lb at 7c, 2-lb at 7¾c, 2¼-lb at 8½c; hemp twine, in job lots, 9c; iron-cotton ties scarce and wanted at $1.30@1.35.

Cooperstuffs—Shaved hoops—Slack-work flour bbls, country shaved, $3@3.50; cooper shaved, $4.50@5; half-bbls, $2@3; patent, $6.50@7; light stuff—pork bbls, oak, $8; hickory, $9; lard tierces—oak, $10; hickory, $12. Staves—Flour bbl, No. 1, $5.75@6; culls, $3@3.50; beer kegs, $16@20; sawed and listed pork bbls, $18@19; lard tierces, $23@34. Flour bbl heading, 4¼@4½c per set.

Cooperage—Flour bbls, hickory hoops, 28@29c; patent hoops, 25@25½c; half bbls, 21@21½c; produce bbls, 21c; meat bbls, 24c; pork bbls, 90c, beat bid; half bbls, 70c; lard tierces dull at $1 bid; half tierces, 65c; kegs, 25c.

Empty Barrels—Coal oil, 95c; linseed or lard oil, 60c; black oil, 45c; whisky, 75c.

Broom Corn—Very firm; common to fair, 4½@5c; fair to choice, 5@5½c; choice to fancy, 5½@6c; brush running well to hurl worth 1c more; dwarf, owing to length and color, 4@5c.

Cotton.

The market was steady on futures, showing an advance on futures on the near months, while the far-off months only held their own. Liverpool showing an advance on futures of about 2 points, closing steady at the advance; Manchester cloth sellers asking an advance. Yarns firm. New York steady on both spots and futures, closing about 2 points higher. New Orleans spots firm and higher. Futures steady. St. Louis very steady, 1/16c higher. Sales, 130 bales.

LOCAL SPOT QUOTATIONS—Low ordinary, nominal: ordinary, nominal; good ordinary, 10⅞c; low middling, 12 5-16c; middling, 11 11-16c; good middling, 11 15-16c; fair middling, 12 7-16c; fair, nominal; stained, ¼@⅜c less than white.

ST. LOUIS MOVEMENT.

	This season.	Last season.
Gross receipts to-day........	127	192
Gross receipts since September...	532,652	572,423
Net receipts to-day..........	90	86
Net receipts since September 1...	229,538	268,744
Shipments to-day..............	5	553
Shipments since September 1......	215,640	254,648
Stock on hand.....................	14,410	8,006

WILMINGTON—Receipts, —. Holiday.

MEMPHIS—Receipts, 56 bales; market firm at 11 11-16c.

BOSTON—Receipts, 4 bales; market very firm at 12⅜c.

AUGUSTA—Receipts, 8 bales; market firm at 11¾c.

PHILADELPHIA—Receipts, — bales; market firm at 12 3-16c.

GALVESTON—Receipts, 59 bales; market nominal at 11½c.

SAVANNAH—Receipts, 113 bales; market quiet and firm at 11 9-16c.

NORFOLK—Receipts, 90 bales; market steady at 11 15-16c.

MOBILE—Receipts, 143 bales; market firm at 11 7-16c.

CHARLESTON—Receipts, 25 bales; market firm at 11⅝c.

NET RECEIPTS, EXPORTS AND STOCKS AT ALL UNITED STATES PORTS FOR 4 DAYS.

	1890.	1889.
Receipts this week............	8,144	4,934
Receipts last week	8,772	4,285
Exports..........................	10,857	13,175
Stock	212,745	319,814
Net receipts since September 1	5,736,926	5,447,649

NEW ORLEANS—Receipts, 18,000 bales. Spot firm at 11 11-16c. Futures closed at 12:10 p.m.: May, nominal; June, 11.90c; July, 12.12c; August, 11.97c; September, 10.86c; October, 10.35c.

LIVERPOOL—Spot, 6½d; sales, 10,000 bales; receipts, 8,000 bales, of which 6,200 American.

	Closed Yesterday.	Closed To-day.
May........................	6.30	6.32
May and June	6.30	6.32
June and July	6.31	6.33
July and August	6.33	6.35
August and September	6.31	6.33
August	6.33	6.35
September.................	6.31	6.33
	Firm for near, easy for distant months.	Steady.

NEW YORK — Receipts — bales; middling, 12¼c.

	Closed Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closed To-day.
May	12.25	12.31	12.24	12.28
June	12.26	12.32	12.28	12.30
July........	12.29	12.35	12.31	12.33
August	12.14	12.25	12.18	12.25
September......	11.37	11.42	11.39	11.40
October	10.85	10.88	10.85	10.87
November	10.66	10.69	10.66	10.69
December	10.65	10.67	10.65	10.67
January.......	10.67	10.70	10.69	10.70
February.......	10.72	10.74	10.73	10.74
	Very firm.			Steady.

Sales to-day, 44,900 bales.

Coffee Market.

As reported by the Hanley & Kinsella Coffee & Spice Co.

	1st Call.	2d Call.	3d Call.
May	16.30	16.25	16.35
June..............	16.10	16.10	none
July	16.00	16.00	none
August	15.85 b	15.85	15.90
September.........	15.80	15.80	none
October	15.55 b	15.55	none

Fair coffee in New York, 20¼c.

Mail pouch coffee in St. Louis, 25c.

RIO, May 20.—Exchange, 20¾c; receipts of 19th, 6,000; clearances for the United States, 3,000; clearances for Europe, 2,000; stock, 157,000; market steady. Santos receipts, 2,000; regular first 8 mil, 350; good second 7 mil, 650.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Wheat—Receipts, 198,200 bu: sales, 1,440,000 bu; steady at ⅜@½c decline: foreigners selling, the West buying; June, 97@97½c; July, 96@96½c; August, 94½@94⅝c; September, 94⅛@94⅜c; October, 94⅞c; December, 95⅞@96 5-16c; May, 1891, 99⅜@99¾c. Barley dull; Canadian, 60@72½c. Corn—Receipts, 96,650 bu; sales, 200,000 bu; depressed by full offerings, ⅜@½c lower; No. 2, 40¾@41c; steamer mixed, 40½@40¾c. Oats—Receipts, 208,000 bu; sales, 40,000 bu; dull, easier; Western, 31@41c. Beef steady; extra mess, $7.25@7.50; plate, $7.75@8.00. Pork quiet, unchanged; mess, $13.25@14.25; extra prime, $11. Lard easy, quiet; steam rendered, 6.45c. Butter—Receipts, 11,699 pkgs; slow, easy; Western dairy, 6@11c; Western creamery, 6@16c; Elgins, 17c; imitation creamery, 7@13c. Cheese—Receipts, 7,699 pkgs; quiet and weak; State, 4@9c; fancy, 8⅞@9c; skims, 2@7c. Eggs—Receipts, 6,613 pkgs; strong; fair demand; Western, 14¼@14½c. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 4¾c; centrifugal, 96 test, 5⅜c; refined, steady; powdered, 6¼c; granulated, 6c; crushed, 6⅞c. Spirits turpentine, quiet and steady; 39c. Molasses quiet and steady; New Orleans, 31@45c. Tallow, strong; city ($2 for pkgs), 4½c bid. Coffee—Rio was stronger for May by 10 points and June by 15 points, while weak for later months and instances 10 points lower. Small receipts at Brazilian ports caused the strength in the early months, while the decline in Rio exchange to 20¾d gives some uncertainty, particularly in the months when the new crop will come to hand. Havre advanced 1¼@½f. Rio on spot dull; No. 7 flat bean, 17½c.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20, 11:25 a. m.—Wheat—May, and July, 92⅞c; June, 93⅛@¼c. Corn—June, 33¼c; July, 33⅞c. Oats—May, 27⅛c; June, 26⅛c; July, 25⅞c. Pork—June, $12.15; July, $12.35. Lard—July, 6.32½c; September, 6.50c. Short ribs—July, 5.45c; September, 5.60c. Wheat—Has been quiet thus far to-day. The range of the July option has been 92½@93⅛c.

1:15 p. m.—The closing prices on the Board of Trade to-day as quoted by the "Daily Trade Bulletin" are as follows: Wheat, firm; cash and June, 95c; July, 94½c bid. Corn steady: cash, 33½c; June, 33½@33⅝c; July, 34½c sellers. Oats firm; cash, 27⅞c; June, 26⅞c; July, 26½@⅝c. Pork firm; cash $12.12½; June, $12.12½; July, $12.40. Lard slow; cash, 6.20c; June, 6.22½c; July, 6.30@6.32½c. Ribs steady; cash and June, 5.30@5.32½c; July, 5.42½@5.45c. Rye steady at 52c. Barley quiet. Flax firm; $1.45. Butter lower. Eggs firm. Whisky, $1.02.

TOLEDO, O., May 20.—Wheat quiet; cash and May, 94c asked; June, 94¼c; July, 93½c; August, 91½c. Corn lower, quiet; cash and May, 35c; July, 35½c. Oats dull; cash and May, 30c. Clover seed, quiet; cash, $3.50; October, $4.10 asked.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 20.—Wheat—No. 1 hard dull at 90½c; No. 1 Northern, 97½c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 98c. Corn—No. 2, 37½c. Receipts—Wheat, 60,000 bu; corn, 140,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 85,000 bu; corn, 200,000 bu.

CINCINNATI, O., May 20.—Flour quiet; Wheat nominal, 95c. Corn easier, 37½@38c. Oats easier, 30@31c. Rye dull, 59c. Pork quiet, $12.75. Lard steady, 5.09c. Bulk meats and bacon, quiet. Whisky steady; sales, 932 bbls.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 20.—Wheat unsettled; No. 2 spring on track cash, 89@92c; July, 91⅝c; No. 1 Northern, 96c. Corn steadier; No. 2 on track, 35c. Oats unchanged; No. 2 white on track, 29@29¼c. Rye steady; No. 1 in store, 53½c. Barley firm; No. 2 in store, 49@50½c.

DETROIT, Mich., May 20.—Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 94c b; No. 2 red cash and May, 95½c b; July, 94¾c b; August, 94⅜c. Corn—Cash, 35¾c; June, 35½c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 29c b; No. 2 white, cash, 30½c. Receipts—Wheat, 14,400 bu; corn, 8,800 bu; oats, 10,700 bu.

Oil and Petroleum.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 20.—Petroleum is moderately active but irregular. The market opened a 95, fell off to 93¼ and from that advanced to 95½ at noon,

Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, May 20, 3:45 p. m., close.—Pork is in poor demand; prime mess Eastern, 55s, steady; do Western, 50s, dull. Lard is in poor demand; spot and May, 32s, easy; June and July, 32s 3d, easy. Wheat is in poor demand; new No. 2 winter, 7s ½d, steady; do spring, 7s 3d, steady. Flour is in fair demand; 10s 3d, firm. Corn—Demand poor for spot and fair for futures; spot and May, 3s 6½d, steady; June, 3s 6¾d, steady; July, 3s 7¼d, steady.

VOTE NOR BURNET THIS EVENING.

The Bridal Bulletin.

The following marriage licenses were granted during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. today:

Frank Helfrich	7210 Michigan av
M. Catherine Kruse	1416 Clark av
George Hannibel	2214 N. 10th st
Catherine Rockenstein	2714 N. Broadway
Frank Nicolay	2810 S. 7th st
Josephine Bender	2858 S. 7th st
James Bene	1313 Ohio av
Lillie Grasect	908 Franklin av
Theodore Heitzman	3053 S. Broadway
Juliana Pfeifer	2852 S. 7th st
Frederick Backer	1728 S. 10th st
Lillie Fruek	211 Lombard st
W. Biesenger	1700 N. Broadway
Mina Thomas	Belleville, Ill
John Surgant	901 Locust st
Annie Mizack	901 Locust st
August Lingenberg	306 S. Levee
Mary Godfrey	East St. Louis
Theodor Elmenhorst	2005 Menard st
Anna Gliett	3900 Louisiana av
John Evans	High and Morgan sts
Adelia Bowels	814 N. High st
Thomas M. Nolan	2217 Carr st
Annie Mooney	3914 Lee av
Emil Lutz	920 N. 14th st
Helene Kunath	2023 Franklin av
J. C. Dickhaus	3539 N. 12th st
Annie Lindeman	3423 Klein
John E. O'Brien	2584 Montgomery st
Rose Sheridan	2106 Mullanphy st
Edward Hussey	310 Morgan st
Eliza Gardner	East St. Louis Ill
Samuel M. Davidson	East St. Louis Ill
Molly Beatty	Montrose Mo
Logan T. Rhodes	724 N. 12th st
Lizzie Troidgill	724 N. 12th st
John Trosch	542 Poepping st
Irene Tesson	6707 S. 7th st
Wm. A. Burch	517 Leonard av
Emma Althoff	3959 Delmar av
Thos. Halligan	1216 N. Broadway
Nellie Ray	1010 Mound st

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ABOUT TOWN.

THE Rev. W. J. Carpenter will preach in the M. E. Church, South, in Carondelet, corner of Virginia and Haven avenues, this evening at 8 o'clock.

MR. A. DE FIGUEIREDO has issued invitations to an excursion to Ramona Park on Saturday. The train will leave the West End Depot on the Cable & Western at 2:45 and return at 6:30. Refreshments will be provided.

THE Engineers' Club will meet to-morrow at the Elks' Club. A paper will be read by Mr. George A. Brown on "The Function of the Government in a Plan for General Irrigation," and there will be discussions on matters of interest.

THE annual meeting of the South Side Day Nursery Association was held yesterday afternoon at the Nursery Home, Tenth and Julia streets. The report showed a total attendance of 7,000. The expenses were about $15,000 and the mothers earned twice that amount while the institution took care of their children. The association has purchased the building it occupies for $5,000.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. today:

Wm. L. Balson and wife to Frederick W. Lambertz, 25 ft. on Arlington av., city block 4517	$ 175
Geo. D. Hall's testamentry trustee to Morris B. Sadler, 112 ft. ¾ in. on Bell av., city block 3753, and other property	13,500
Bridget Duffy et al. to Annie J. Sydnor, 200 ft. on Burd av., city block 4527, and other property	3,600
Julia C. January et al. by special commissioner, to Jacob Schopp, 79 feet on Broadway, city block 138	38,000
Margaret S. Rogers to Martin Bros. 28½ ft. on Cass av., city block 690	2,500
Nathan D. Allen and wife to Martin Bros., 28½ ft. on Cass av., city block 690, quitclaim	10
Henry Loebs and wife to Gustav Ludwig, 25 ft. on Cherokee st., city block 1519	2,500
Nellie D. Kisel and trustee to Amelia Gassner, 21 ft. on Chestnut st., city block 491	4,500
Jacob Schoff and wife to Siegmund F. Freund et al., 4.85 acres on Chippewa st., city block 1621	9,600
George E. Leighton to Ella Olney, 27 ft. on Chouteau av., city block 2281	1,620
Sallie C. Denhane et al. to Mary F. Salesbury, 50 ft. on Cook av., city block 3743	2,800
Peter Tallon to Joseph Flannery, 30 ft. on Cook av., city block 3745	5
Mary M. Faulkner, by trustee, to Missouri Mutual Building and Loan Association, 25 ft. on Dickson st., city block 1005; trustee's deed	3,950
James T. McPherson to Edward Flynn, 25 ft. on Easton av., city block 3728	1,200
John F. Meyer and wife to Frederick Stoett, 310 ft. on Finney av., city block 4839	21,160
Elisa A. Hattersly et al. to Eliza A. Little, 100 ft. on Garnier av., city block 4619	1,000
Union Press Brick Works to Henry Godt et al., 25 ft. on Glasgow av., city block 2426	200
Kate E. Shaughnessy to James J. McRoberts, 100 ft. on Goodfellow av., city block 3821	1,000
Thomas Robinson and wife to Wm. G. Downs, 25 ft. in Green Lea place, city block 4896	518
Charles Imse and wife to Mary E. Base, 25 ft. on Jefferson av., city block 1381	4,000
Maggie A. Linnemann et al. to Charles Mutrux, 150 ft. on Laclede av., city block 3902	6,000
Phoe C. Brown et al. to Paddock-Hawley Iron Co., 24 ft. 4½ in. on Manchester rd; quitclaim deed	1
Katherina Linnenkohl et al. to Charles A. Reich, 27½ ft. on Michigan av., city block 1431	550
Oak Hill Improvement Co. to James Hawkins, 70 ft. on Morgan Ford rd., city block 4152	840
Robert E. Carr and wife to Richard T. Blow, near Arsenal and Cabbanne sts., lot 7 in block 4110, and other property	25,000
Edward Nennstiel and wife to Dennis P. Slattery, 25 ft. on Olive st., city block 910	3,125
Margaret B. Howard et al. to Virginia H. Howard et al., 66 ft. 1 in. on Olive st., city block 1020	10,500
Jacob Gigi and wife to Philip Sauerwein, 65 ft. 9 ins. on Ohio av., city block 1644	900
Franklin L. Bixter, by trustee, to Lawrence Garvey, 15½ ft. on Ohio av., city block 2710	1,000
Wm. H. Tipton and wife to August Tenner, 50 ft. on Oregon av., city block 1312	2,100
Louis Schulze and wife to John H. Goehler, 100 ft. on Palm st., city block 2378	3,500
T. F. W. Zimmerman to Wm. R. Cottrill, 10 ft. on 7th st., city block 809	800
Jacob Schisler and wife to Ernst A. Lindeman, 25 ft. on Sheridan av., city block 1845	4,500
Edward M. Robinson's testamentary trustee to Horatio N. Saylor, 53 ft. on 16th st., city block 211	7,000
John B. Westermayer and wife to Adolph Hauft, 25 ft. on Texas av., city block 1649	1,900
George H. Bruggemann and wife to Wm. T. Long, 50 ft. on Theodosia av., city block 3796	460
Geo. B. Brueggemann and wife to Geo. N. Truesdale, 50 ft. on Union av., city block 3795	775
M. J. Brennan and wife to John S. Costello, 481 ft. 10 in. on Union av., city block 3798; quitclaim	1
John S. Costello and wife to Matthew J. Brennan, 160 ft. 7 1-6 in. on Union av., city block 3798	1
John S. Costello and wife to Wm. Baggot, 160 ft. 7⅛ in. on Union av., city block 3798	1
Alluse Fassel and wife to Magdalena Clemens, 25 ft. on Utah st., city block 1529	2,000
Margaret A. Boone and trustee to James W. Anderson, 40 ft. on Washington av., city block 4876	10,000
Lena Bejach et al. to Jacob Kuhn, 25 ft. on Washington av., city block 1043	3,750

VOTE FOR BURNET THIS EVENING.

W. T. ANDERSON & CO., GRAIN COMMISSION. LACLEDE BUILDING .... ST. LOUIS, MO. Special Attention given to selling grain by sample. Liberal advances made on Consignments. Our facilities are unsurpassed for prompt execution of orders, in this and other markets, for future delivery.

John Mullally Commission Co. 405 AND 406 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. Consignments of All Kinds Solicited. Special Attention given to the handling of Grain, Hay, Flour, Grass Seed, Flax Seed, Castor Beans, Wool, Etc., Etc. We make a specialty of Track and Sample Sales.

J. R. LEWIS, PRESIDENT. FRANK LAWRENCE, VICE-PRESIDENT. J. W. SHARPE, SECY. AND TREAS. LEWIS-SHARPE COMMISSION CO., ROOM 210, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, ST. LOUIS, MO. Consignments of All Kinds Solicited. Grain, Hay, Flour, Grass Seed, Flax Seed, Castor Beans, Etc. We make a specialty of Track and Sample Sales. Liberal advances made on consignments.

REDMOND CLEARY COMMISSION CO., CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, ST. LOUIS. CONSIGNMENTS SOLICITED—Grain, Hay, Grass Seed, Flax Seed, Castor Beans, etc. We make a specialty of sample sales on track and special bin. LIBERAL ADVANCES made on shipments. Orders promptly executed in this and other markets for future delivery. Correspondence solicited.

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JOHN THYSON, SUCCESSOR TO THYSON & DAVIDSON, GRAIN COMMISSION MERCHANT, 325 Chestnut Street, St. Louis, Mo.

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STEPHEN L. SMITH COMMISSION CO. 225 Market St., St. Louis, Mo.

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A. Landauer. S. Landauer. H. Landauer. A. LANDAUER & SONS, General Commission Merchants, 924 N. 3d St., Formerly Broadway.

W. J. TEMPLEMAN. F. E. BETS. W. J. TEMPLEMAN & CO. Fruits, Produce, Game and Poultry. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 950 N. 3d st., St. Louis, Mo. Reference, Continental National Bank.

T. J. FINIGAN, General Commission Merchant, Fruits, Produce, Etc. No. 1029 N. THIRD STREET. Specialties—Apples, Potatoes, Onion, Cabbage and Sauer Kraut in car lots. Prompt returns our motto.

FREELAND R. DUNN WOOL, FRUIT —AND— PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANT, 1000 N. Third St., St. Louis.

L. HAKE & SON, Commission and Provision Merchants, 819 N. 3d St. & 816 N. 4th St., ST. LOUIS, MO.

G. W. GODLOVE & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANT, WOOL A SPECIALTY. 114 NORTH MAIN ST.

H. C. SCHOPPE & SON, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 816 N. COMMERCIAL ST.. - ST. LOUIS, MO.

F. W. STEPHENS & CO., General Commission Merchants, 934 N. 3d St.. - ST. LOUIS, MO.

ESTABLISHED 1878. MICHENFELDER & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS. WOOL, HIDES AND COUNTRY PRODUCE. No. 3 N. Main St., St. Louis, Mo. Consignments and Correspondence Solicited.

D. S. HELTZELL & CO., Commission Merchants. Grain, Hay, Wool, Hides and Produce. 10 S. Main st., St. Louis.

Established 1859. Incorporated 1890. Gaupel Grocery & Commission Co. GENERAL GROCERS, LIQUOR DEALERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Pure Liquors for Family Use a Specialty. Telephone No. 2151. 218 and 220 S. Main st.

Mueth & Brungard, COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Butter, Cheese, Eggs and Produce Generally. 201 N. Main, cor. Pine, St. Louis, Mo. Telephone 374. Reference: Boatmen's Bank. Consignments solicited.

ESTABLISHED 1865 HAUEISEN & LANG Dealers in Fruits and Produce, and General Commission Merchants, 1016 N. 3d ST., ST. LOUIS, MO. Orders promptly attended to.

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E. G. WEIDNER COMMISSION CO., 903 N. Third St., St. Louis, Mo., (Cor. Franklin av.) Special attention paid to the sale of Wheat, Oats, Corn, Fruit, Wool, Feathers, Hides, Bacon, Lard, Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Game, Calves, etc. Orders for Early Vegetables and all kinds Seed Potatoes filled promptly.

E. C. HOFFMAN, General Commission Merchant. SOLE AGENT FOR HILLIARD'S PURE APPLE CIDER. 930 NORTH THIRD STREET, St. Louis, Mo.

Established 1865. NORMAN BROWN, DEALER IN Hides, Tallow, Grease, Sheep Pelts and Wool, 517 and 518 N. Levee and 524 and 526 N. Commercial st., ST. LOUIS, MO. Reference: Any of the banks or first-class business houses in the city.

ESTABLISHED 1873. H. W. KNEHANS & SONS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Dealers in Butter, Eggs, Dried Fruit, Etc., 1022 N. THIRD ST., ST. LOUIS, MO. Eggs a Specialty.

ESTABLISHED 1865. GEO. A. BENTON & CO., GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS For the Sale of Country Produce of all kinds. 827 N. 3d st. and 824 N. 4th st., St. Louis, Mo.

Russell-Massengale Commission Co. AND LUMBER COMMISSION MERCHANTS, And dealers in all kinds of hardwood lumber, southwest corner Main and Olive sts., St. Louis.

Established 1875. O. VOELKER & CO. COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Special attention given to filling orders for fruit, game, poultry and eggs. No. 916 N. Third Street ST. LOUIS.

Edw. Beckmann Commission Co., Grain, Eggs, Poultry, Dried Fruit, Wool, Game, Hides, Etc. No. 14 S. Commercial St., St. Louis, Mo

W. J. HAYNES & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Specialties: WOOL, HIDES AND FURS, 2 S. COMMERCIAL ST., ST. LOUIS.

WOOL. FUNSTEN & MOORE, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 309 N. Main St. Write for Special Information.

DORMITZER & MEARA COMMISSION MERCHANTS, TOBACCO, GRAIN AND PRODUCE, N. E. Cor. Main and Market sts., St. Louis, Mo.

Established 1872. W. B. WESTCOTT & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Hay, Grain, Flour, Seeds, Dried Fruit, Hides, Wool, Feathers, Furs, Poultry, Eggs, etc. 320 NORTH MAIN ST. ....St. Louis, Mo. Consignments and Correspondence Solicited.

T. C. TAYLOR & CO., 224 N. COMMERCIAL ST., ST. LOUIS, MO. Consignments of all kinds solicited. Grain, Hay, Seeds, Wool, Hides, Furs, Etc. Track stuff a specialty.

GEO. G. FAIRHAM & BRO., General Commission Merchants And Wholesale Dealers in Fruits and Vegetables, 918 and 920 N. 3d st., St. Louis, Mo.

HENRY BROEDER, COMMISSION MERCHANT, All Kinds of Country Produce. Eggs a Specialty. Nos. 926 & 928 N. 3d st., St. Louis, Mo. REFERENCES: ANY OLD ESTABLISHED HOUSE IN THE CITY. ESTABLISHED, 1871.

F. C. TAYLOR & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS. GRAIN, WOOL, HIDES AND COUNTRY PRODUCE 208-210 N. MAIN ST., ST. LOUIS, MO.

ESTABLISHED 1878. J. L. STEDELIN & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS, FRUIT AND PRODUCE, 928 NORTH THIRD STREET.

HUMPHREYS PRODUCE CO. General Commission Merchants. WHOLESALE FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. No. 712 North Third St., St. Louis, Mo. Car lots a specialty.

PICKER & BEARDSLEY General Commission Merchants, 214 North Main street and 215 North Commercial, St. Louis.

B. WINKELMAN, WHOLESALE GROCER, COMMISSION MERCHANT AND RECTIFIER, and wholesale dealer in Wines, Liquors, Cheese and all kinds of Country Produce. 826 N. 3D ST. ST. LOUIS.

MAKE YOUR CONSIGNMENTS TO C. E. WETZEL, General Commission Merchant and Wholesale Dealer in Butter, Cheese, Eggs, Wool, Hides, Furs and Produce Generally. 219-221 Market Street. ST. LOUIS.

THE ELEGANT DINING ROOM FOR

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

—SECOND FLOOR.—

Delicatessen Building, 718 Olive St.

Is Now Open.

OLD ROCK BAKERY,

417 LUCAS AV.

Our coffeecake will keep nice and moist for Sunday, you don't have to go to the bakery on Sunday.

CITY NEWS.

THE Great Extension Sale now in full blast at D. Crawford & Co.'s is one of those things you may sometimes read of but never in reality see excepting when this enterprising house is enlarging its premises!! See what a busy store means, see what bargains mean, see what business means, which you can only do by visiting this Great and Popular Store.

Going to Europe.

Parties contemplating European tours this season will save money and derive the largest amount of satisfaction by making a call at the first-class establishment of P. C. Murphy, Third and St. Charles streets, where they can purchase at lowest prices all the very latest and most improved styles of steamer trunks, traveling bags and satchels, toilet and dressing cases and every other article in that line which are indispensable to the comfort of the tourist.

Dr. E. C. Chase,

Corner of 9th and Olive streets. Set of teeth, $8.

PRIVATE matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. Dr. Dinsbeer, 814 Pine street.

THE CATTLE SHIPPERS.

Heavy Losses Sustained by New Yorkers Engaged in the Trade.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, May 20.—This is proving a gloomy spring for cattle shippers. They find themselves caught between the upper and under mill stone, as it were, and many of them are slowly but surely being ground to powder. It was estimated by a heavy shipper form this port yesterday that last week's shipments represented a net loss of $250,000 in cold cash to shippers. The cause of it all is a slump in the London, Glasgow and Liverpool markets and a corresponding raise on this side of the water. As compared with one year ago there has been a fall of 75 cents a hundred pounds in beef abroad and a rise of 1 cent to 1½ cents a pound in this country. In the face of this tremendous difference the unhappy shippers find themselves compelled to send cattle abroad for the reason that they had engaged all the freight room they could secure up to August 1. Thus if they do not ship they would lose about $20 a head and if they do ship they will lose nearly as much. The condition of affairs is serious, and unless a compromise can be effected with the steamship lines many of the small shippers will go to the wall. Some of the men having plenty of money will be able to stand their losses, but not so those of limited capital. To add to their misery they know that every head of cattle shipped to the United Kingdom only makes matters worse over there by stocking up the market. A year ago there were big profits in the business, and everybody rushed in and engaged freight ahead on every steamer, first-class or tram, that had freight room.

A Complete Assortment of the Most Elegant Productions of the Woolen Mills of Foreign Countries.

We are willing to place the garments we make to order in direct competition and comparison with any of the high-priced tailors of St. Louis, feeling confident of their undoubted superiority in every particular, though made for one-third of the prices charged by other houses in St. Louis.

MILLS & AVERILL,
S. E. Cor. Broadway and Pine.

THANKS TO THE "POST-DISPATCH"

Forwarded by the Treasurer of the Irish National League of America.

Dr. Thomas O'Reilly to-day forwarded to the POST-DISPATCH the following:

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
IRISH NATIONAL LEAGUE OF AMERICA,
DETROIT, MICH., MAY 15, 1890.

Dr. Thomas O'Reilly, St. Louis, Mo.:

MY DEAR DOCTOR—In reply to yours of the 12th I beg to say, an acknowledgment for Mr. Lawlor's remittance has been mailed to him at Houston, Tex.

As this comes to us through the efforts of the POST-DISPATCH of your city, I herewith return you the list of subscribers, trusting the POST-DISPATCH may find space in its valuable columns for the same.

We are deeply indebted to the kindly and generous managers of the POST-DISPATCH for their efforts, and I trust you will find an opportunity to tell them so.

With assurance of kindest regards, I beg to remain very faithfully yours,

CHAS. O'REILLY,
Treasurer I. N. L. of A.

The list of subscribers to the fund referred to has since been published and a copy forwarded to the gentleman who collected the fund.

To the Traveling Public.

You will find the most complete assortment of trunks and traveling bags, such as dress, steamer and Saratoga trunks, grain, leather, alligator and sealskin bags, and satchels of all descriptions, at lowest prices at Herket & Meisel's, 420 North Sixth street.

FIRE-BUGS AT WORK.

Ended His Reckless Life—Judge Drummond's Funeral—Illinois Items.

MONTICELLO, May 20.—Farney & Clauser's large dry goods store at Mansfield, near here, caught fire about 5 o'clock yesterday morning and was entirely destroyed. Loss to stock, $6,000; building, $5,000.

BLOOMINGTON, May 20.—John Sherman Weedman shot himself through the heart at the Commercial Hotel in Farmer City last night. He was 24 years of age, the son of the late banker Weedman, and has been leading a reckless life for months.

CHICAGO, May 20.—The funeral services over the remains of Judge Thomas Drummond were held yesterday. The service was simple, no sermon being preached. The church was completely filled.

VOTE FOR BURNET TO-DAY. IMPORTANT.

Overall Manufacturers Assign.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 20.—Julius Stiefel and Benjamin Cohen, trading as Stiefel & Cohen, overall manufacturers, 414 to 418 German street, as partners and individually, have made an assignment for the benefit of creditors to Henry Sonnehorn and Samuel Frank, of A. Frank & Sons, trustees. Assets, $50,000; liabilities between $80,000 ane $90,000.

Hear the Soul of a Krakauer

Piano sing. To hear it is to buy it. It stays in tune twice as long as any other piano and lasts a lifetime. Koerber Piano Co., 1102 Olive. Agents for world-renowned Knabe pianos.

Assessment Endowment Incorporations.

BOSTON, Mass., May 20.—Insurance Commissioner Merritt in his annual report takes occasion to severely criticise and condemn the assessment endowment incorporations which, he says, have since the unfortunate statute of two years ago swept over the State in a fantastic flood. The report closes with a plea for standard life insurance policies.

Merchant Tailor Children's Suits, $5.

Hundreds of styles finest fabrics such as our competitors generally sell $7.50 to $10.

GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin av.

FIVE MORE.

That Is All the Guessing Coupons You Get for European Trips.

And the One Given Below Is Included in That Number, Too.

Do Not Put Your Coupons and Your Teachers' Ballots Together—See the Reason as Given—Remember That This Most Novel Contest Comes to an End Next Saturday at 10 P. M.—Make Hay While the Coupons Appear—Soon the Time Will Come When You Can Guess No More.

The guessing contest is not at an end but is very near it.

To-morrow a new rule regarding the teachers' contest will go into effect, and it is important that guessers should know and regard the rule.

No envelopes nor packages containing ballots received after Wednesday at 6 p. m. will be opened until the close of the teachers' election, May 28. All such envelopes and packages will be put in a safe and kept intact until the end of the teachers' contest. Then they will be opened and counted. If guesses are inclosed with ballots they will be lost to the guesser, as the guessing contest will close at 10:30 o'clock Saturday night, and no guesses not on file at that hour will be considered.

The guesses must be sent separately, and addressed

GUESS ON TEACHERS' CONTEST,
POST-DISPATCH,
ST. LOUIS,
MO.

A SUGGESTION TO PUPILS.

Pupils of all the schools are referred to a suggestion in the article on the teachers' contest. You have a chance to send your teacher to Europe, even though she is not chosen in the teachers' election. Guess for her, or in her name. If you win you can give her the trip if you wish. Guessing coupons will be printed every day until Saturday, inclusive. Get all of them you can. Fill them out for your teacher. You thus stand a good chance of sending her to Europe.

Guessing and going to Europe are each very fashionable just at present. When an opportunity is afforded to do both at the same time a great deal of interest must necessarily be added. This is what the POST-DISPATCH proposes to do for all its thousands of readers. The vulgarism, "I guess I'll go to Europe," is not so objectionable when taken in consideration with this latest plan. The fact is if you guess you have a good chance to go to Europe. You are sure to go if you can guess well enough. Here is the way to do it: The POST-DISPATCH proposes to give a two-months' trip to and through Europe to the man, woman or child who guesses nearest to the votes received by the highest teacher when the polls close in the popular election now running in these columns. This offer is open to the world. The guessing is to be done on a coupon which is printed in the POST-DISPATCH. Fill it out as directed, and if your estimate is the nearest to the actual vote you will win the trip to Europe. Remember, you are not required to guess the name of the winning teacher. It matters not who wins. All you have to do is to guess the vote the winner will receive. In case of ties the first vote filed will receive the prize. You can guess as often as you please. The only requisite is to get a coupon. But one guess can be put on each coupon. The more you guess the more your chances are increased. The contest will close on Saturday, May 24, at 10:30 p. m. All guesses not on file in this office at that hour will be rejected. The last ballot in the teachers' election will be printed on Sunday, May 25. This is one of the easiest ways of trying for a trip to Europe ever offered. All readers of the POST-DISPATCH can avail themselves of the offer with little trouble and with less expense. The prize is well worth working for, as the multitude of coupons received daily at this office show. Remember the advantage of filing guesses early. The first guess received wins from all other tie guesses. Look out for the coupon to-morrow.

THE GUESSING COUPON.

This is the coupon—Put your estimate of the vote in the white space surrounded by the scrollwork.

GUESSER'S NAME:

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ADDRESS..............................

DATE OF GUESS..............................

Guessers' Post-Office.

DE SOTO, Mo., May 17, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed find five guesses on teachers' contest, having drawn the numbers according to my age, from the day of my birth, also the year I enlisted in and the day and month of my discharge from the United States Navy, hoping thereby to be the lucky winner of your generous invitation for a trip to Europe, being desirous of seeing the sights and travel in foreign countries. Allow me to congratulate the POST-DISPATCH for their enterprise and endeavors to please the hard-working teachers and the public in general. WILLIE WEBBER.

ST. LOUIS, May 17.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I sent you eight or ten guesses, but I have my doubts as to your ever receiving them. Please find inclosed ten guesses and one vote for Miss K. A. Calahan of the Carr Lane. Kindly answer if you have received my guesses. HARRY O'CONELL.

311 Morgan street.

ST. LOUIS, May 17, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed find eight guesses; would like to know by your next paper if the winner can know before June 1 who wins. M. M. R.

[No announcement of the winner will be made until Sunday, June 1.]

GILLESPIE, May 7, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

If I am lucky enough to guess the winning number please sell it for me to the highest bidder or whoever will give the most for it, as I am not able to make the trip, for I cannot leave my business. Wishing success in every way. ELMER EWING.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed find three guesses for teachers' contest. I hope I get a chance to go over the big pond.

If I miss it this time, perhaps the POST-DISPATCH will give the most popular porter a chance some other time; being the workingman's friend it would do well to give sometime a hard-working man a trip or vacation for a month or two.

Hoping you will give it your kind consideration. I am, yours respectfully,

J. G. B., Samuel Cupples W. W. Co.
1303 Old Manchester road.

ST. LOUIS, May 15.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Can guesses be sent to your counting-room by messenger, or must they be sent through the mail. CHARLEY B.

[Either way will do. Be sure to put your guesses in separate envelopes from your ballots.]

ST. LOUIS, May 19.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please inform me if the lucky teacher and guesser will be notified before the announcement June 1. Also if a guess that is a little torn off is any good. Please answer soon and oblige

A READER OF THE POST-DISPATCH.

[No announcement will be made until June 1. If the guessing coupon can be read, it will be filed.]

The Great Rock Island Route

Is the direct, favorite and best line for all to take who wish to go to any point in Southern Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado and the Indian Territory. Close connections are made at Kansas City with the daily solid vestibule express trains of the Rock Island which go through without change of cars to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo. These trains include Pullman palace sleepers and free reclining chair cars, sumptuously furnished and having every modern improvement conducive to safety and luxurious enjoyment. Choice of routes, via Denver, to and from Salt Lake City, Ogden, Helena, Butte, Portland, Los Angeles and San Francisco. Daily trains with Pullman sleepers and free chair cars, via Wichita, to Kingfisher and El Reno in Oklahoma. For through tickets, berths, rates and further information, apply to G. D. Bacon, General Agent Passenger Department, 116 North Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo.

JNO. SEBASTIAN,
General Ticket and Passenger Agent.
E. ST. JOHN, General Manager.

AFTER THE BENEFIT.

Theater Men Indulge in Several Glasses of Beer and a Rough and Tumble Fight.

Tom White is a sketch artist and variety comedian. He is also something of a "scrapper" judging from appearances. He has been playing at an obscure theater for several weeks and gave such general satisfaction that the management Sunday night gave him a benefit.

The performance went off with the accustomed eclat and some twenty or thirty burnt cork artists and scene shifters adjourned to the bar for a round of drinks. White "set 'em up" all around, and those present were soon swilling beer at his expense. It seems that about the time when the festivities were at their highest Louis Hudson entered. Hudson is the theater bouncer and considers himself a "tuff" man. He and White had had some previous quarrel and White objected to his drinking at his expense. A row ensued in which White used a beer glass over Hudson's head, cutting several long gashes in his scalp and "doing him up" in very good shape. Both of the parties were arrested and gave bond at the Four Courts. This morning cross charges of disturbing the peace were docketed against them in the First District Police Court. In the case against White a nolle prosequi was entered while Hudson went to trial and was discharged. Both men were afterwards in the office of Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dierkes after warrants for assault and battery. Their applications were refused.

Free River Excursions. Every want advertiser in the next SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH gets a free ticket for a grand excursion on the Grand Republic on Monday, June 2. Music and dancing. Exclusively for want advertisers.

PINNED IN THE WRECK.

The Experience of a Young Boy While Stealing a Ride.

The Missouri Pacific passenger train arriving in St. Louis at 7:20 o'clock this morning brought to the Union Depot a 16-year-old boy giving his name as Wm. W. McCombs. The lad was in a precarious condition, but conscious. His home, it seems, is in Leadville, Cool., from which city he started a week ago, to beat his way to St. Louis. Arriving at Sedalia yesterday morning he boarded a freight train which stood on a side track, concealing himself in an empty boxcar. Near Tipton, Mo., the train became disconnected while on a down grade, the coupling giving away on the forward end of the car in which the Stowaway was hidden. As the engineer slowed up the two parts of the train came together with a crash. In the wreck McCombs was badly hurt, narrowly escaping instant death. As it was his left leg was dislocated at the knee, his right leg dislocated at the ankle and his right shoulder severely hurt. His head was badly bruised, although no fracture of the skull is yet apparent. He is also internally injured. He was pinned down in the car for some time before he was discovered by the train hands and released. Officer Gannon called an ambulance and had the unfortunate lad removed to the Missouri Pacific Hospital.

Great Knee Pants Sale at the Globe.

To-morrow, New Styles Striped Pants, 25c; All-wool Cheviot and Cassimere Pants, 50c, 75c and $1. Boys' Long Pants, hundreds of styles, 50c, to the finest Tailor Made Pants at $5. GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

CHESS CONTEST.

Showalter, the Association Champion, Beaten by Max Judd.

The match between John W. Showalter, champion of the United States Chess Association, and Max Judge, the celebrated St. Louis player, commenced yesterday afternoon. The match is for $250 a side, the winner of the first seven games, exclusive of draws, to win. Mr. Showalter resides at Georgetown, Ky. He has an excellent record in tournaments, but this is his first match. Mr. Judd has also a good record. Showalter opened up yesterday with the Ruy Lopez game. Play was very even and the large crowd of experts watched each move with interest. After the first forty moves the general verdict was that the Missouri man had the champion beaten, and these surmises were correct, for Showalter resigned after the fifty-second move. Time, 3 hours.

EVERY bottle of Phos-Ferrone has name blown in bottle—imitations have not.

New Warrants.

New criminal warrants sworn out at the Four Courts this morning charge John Smith with burglary in breaking into Central Turner Hall for the purpose of robbery; Barry Marion, assault to kill on John Crawford; George Steer, Sr., assault and battery on Joseph Seeker; James Glover, burglary in breaking into the saloon kept by R. E. Craycraft at Eighth and Locust streets; William Rothschild and William Herbst, selling lottery tickets; George W. Evans, keeping common gambling house; Sam Powell, keeping common gambling house; William Simms, petit larceny in stealing $10 from Matthew Dyer; Julius Pfeiffer, petit larceny in stealing a lot of tonic beer from J. K. Artz; William Griffin, assault and battery on Mollie Hoard; Frank Cooney and L. Henry Stetman, violating the Sunday law.

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ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 20.—William E. Baker died in the *Herald* office last night from unknown causes. He had filled editorial positions in Kansas City and here.

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GREAT PERFORMANCES.

ATHLETIC RECORDS BROKEN AT THE BERKELEY OVAL MEETING.

Remarkable Achievements of Sherrill, Day, Downes and Others—Ed Smith Makes a Good Stand Against Peter Jackson—Base Ball Attendance—The Yale-Atalanta Boat Race—General Sporting News.



AT the spring meeting of the Berkeley Athletic Club held at Berkeley Oval last Saturday the college athletes showed up in grand form. One world's record was broken, four equaled and five American records were broken. Charles H. Sherrill, Yale's famous sprint runner, defeated Luther Carey of Princeton in even time—10 seconds—in the 100-yard dash; W. D. Downes of Harvard beat W. C. Dohm of Princeton in the 600-yard run in time equaling the world's record; N. L. Williams of Yale made a new American record for the 120-yard hurdle; W. D. Day, New Jersey Athletic Club, surpassed all American records from one and a quarter to two miles, and J. P. Lee of Harvard, the half-back on Harvard's foot-ball eleven last fall, made a new world's record for the 220-yard hurdle.

The first race of the day brought out Luther Carey of Princeton College, who has recently joined the Manhattan Athletic Club; F. W. Robinson, Yale and the New York Athletic Club, and "Tommy" Lee, New York Athletic Club, for a 100-yard dash from scratch. All got off well when W. H. Robertson, the starter, fired his pistol, Carey going at once to the front, and running in his peculiar, overworked fashion. Robinson held second place to the finish, Carey winning in 10 1-5 seconds. Next came Sherrill of Yale and the New York Athletic Club; P. Vredenburg, Princeton and New York Athletic Club, and E. C. Moen, Harvard and the New York Athletic Club. Fred Westing of the Manhattan Athletic Club was entered for the event, but did not start. It was the first time Sherrill had been seen in a race in this vicinty this year, and every one was eager to see his form. His run of 100 yards in 0:10 Monday at New Haven was in the minds of all as the pistol cracked, and if any one doubted his reported fine condition before that doubt was dispelled the instant he was in motion. Sherrill has never shown better form. He got off well from the mark and ran in an easy winner in 0:10:2-5 seconds.

When the final heat of the 100-yard dash was called Sherill and Carey "set" together for the first time. The friends of Carey had been quite confident of his victory, but had underrated Sherrill's ability. The two bounded from the mark together, Carey digging along close to the cinderpath and Sherrill striding more in the air, and when the tape was reached Sherrill was two feet in the lead. It was said that Carey was not in his best condition, but when the time was announced this claim lost its effect, for Sherrill had won in :10, proving the speed at which the men had run. The performance equals the best amateur record.

Sixteen men were entered for the 600-yard scratch race, but only four started. These were Walter Dohm of Princeton, W. C. Downes of Harvard, J. C. Devereux, Manhattan Athletic Club, and H. E. Billings, New York Athletic Club. Interest in the race was centered in Dohm and Downes. At the start Dohm, who was on the outside, made a fight for first place, but dropped in second behind Downes, and at 160 yards was holding the latter well. At the first turn on the final quarter, however, Downes cut out a very fast pace and was two yards away from Dohm before Dohm was aware of it. Then Dohm began a fight to overcome the distance, and succeeded in reducing it to a yard at the finish, but he was beaten. Downes had his revenge for the defeat Dohm gave him at a half mile a year ago. He held a tremendous pace from beginning to end and succeeded in equaling the world's record of 1:11 2-5, made by L. E. Myers July 1, 1882. Downes recently ran a quarter in 0:50 1-5 at Harvard, showing that he is faster than ever before.

The 120-yard hurdle race, scratch, was another surprise, H. L. Williams of Yale and the New York Athletic Club equaling the world's record of 16 seconds, held by several English hurdlers, and surpassing the American record of 0:16 1-5 made twice by A. A. Jordan of the New York Athletic Club. Mr. Jordan was present when Williams ran and said when the time was announced that he would not be content to rest without attempting to beat Williams' performance. Herbert Mapes of Columbia defeated G. Schwegler, New York Athletic Club, the Amateur Athletic Union champion, for second place.

When W. D. Day, the famous distance runner, came out for the two-mile scratch race it was remarked that he looked ill, as usual, and when he finished with several new American records to his credit he looked decidedly better to the spectators. In the race with Day were several very good runners, but they had no chance of securing first place. Day's time for the quarters was 1:03 1-5, 2:12 4-5, 3:24, 4:36 1-5, 5:49, 7:02 4-5, 8:18 1-5 and 9:32 1-5. He beat the record of 6:03 for one and a quarter miles made by T. P. Conneff, Manhattan Athletic Club, September 15, 1888; the record of 7:12 1-5 for the half mile made by E. C. Carter, New York Athletic Club, July 10, 1886; the record of 8:32 2-5 for the one and three-quarter miles made by Conneff, November 6, 1888, and the record of 9:38 3-5 for two miles made by E. C. Carter, July 10, 1886.

In the 150-yard race Sherrill, feeling in good trim, ran for the record of 0:15, which he made June 15, 1888. He was coached in the run by Robinson of Yale and covered the distance in 0:14 4-5, equaling the world's record made by C. G. Wood at London, England, July 24, 1887. Last year E. H. Pelling of England ran in 0:16 3-5, but the wind aided him and he was not allowed the record.

The games wound up with a wonderful feat accomplished by J. P. Lee of Harvard and the New York Athletic Club in the 220-yard hurdle race. Lee won his trial heat in 0:25 3-5, surpassing the American and the world's record of 0:26 2-5, made by A. F. Copland, Manhattan Athletic Club, and equaled by Herbert Mapes of Columbia College. Then Lee ran the final heat in 0:25 2-5, taking a whole second off the record. He took the hurdles like Copland, first one foot and then the other.

The games were admirably managed and enjoyable throughout. Among the spectators was President J. B. Martin of the London Athletic Club, who said he had rarely, if ever, seen as many celebrated athletes together, or as many records made at a meeting.

The Yale-Atalanta Race.

The much-talked-of boat-race between the Yale 'Varsity eight and the equally famous Atalanta eight is booked to take place next Saturday in New Haven Harbor. Interest in this event has been gradually quickening until it is now almost at white heat. A casual visitor to the numerous boat-houses along the banks of the Harlem and Passaic rivers will find little else talked about, and while the general opinion seems to be that the collegians will land a winner, it is conceded that Capt. Van Raden's men will give them the hardest kind of a tussle. It may be remarked here that both sides expect to win the race. Yale has felt confident from the start—in fact, the wily wearers of the blue would never have arranged the match had they doubted for a moment their ability to show the way from start to finish. The Atalanta crew realize they have a very difficult undertaking before them, and under the careful supervision of Capt. Van Raden have been faithfully training for the great race. The members of the crew are all business men and only find time after working hours to practice in the boat. The Yale crew, on the other hand, allow boating interests to take precedence over anything else. They follow a course of training laid down years ago, which has so often pushed them on to victory. The course over which the race is to be rowed is one with which they are perfectly familiar, as they are coached there every day. Should the Atalantas prove winners in the face of these odds, the victory will be a wonderful achievement. As near as can be ascertained, the Yale crew averages 177 pounds, while the Atalantas average but 157.

The course is crescent shaped, a gradua curve being necessary to cover four miles without a turn. The water is apt to be rough, but it is understood between the crews that if the water next Saturday is not in a suitable condition for the race the whole thing will be declared off.

The Gravesend Races.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The track was in fine order yesterday and the sport was exceptionally good. Most of the finishes were very close and a considerable amount of money changed hands. In the first race, one mile, Frontenac was favorite, but Her Highness drew away in the last furlong and won by a length and a half, Adamant second and Tulla Blackburn third. Time, 1:43½.

Second race, one mile—Strideaway, first; Madstone, second; King Crab, third. Won by a length. Time, 1:42.

Third race, the Seaside Stakes, for 2-year-olds, $50 each with $1,250 added, five furlongs—Chatham and Terrifier, both of the Morris Stables, were first favorites and finished alone. Chatham seemed the better horse, but Garrison rode Terrifier very hard and secured the verdict by a head. Time, 1:02½.

Fourth race, for 2 year olds, 5 furlongs—Eclipse, first; Russell, second; Lord Harry, third. Won by half a length. Time, 1:02½.

Fifth race, one mile—Quesal, first; Monmouth, second; Long Branch, thrid. A very close finish. Time, 1:13¾.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Kenwood, first; Tanner, second; Kasson, third. Time, 1:15½.

Racing at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 20.—Despite the miserable weather yesterday over two thousand enthusiasts saw Murphy steer Riley to victory in the Clark stake. Of the three starters Riley was favorite at 2 to 5, Robespierre and Letcher following in the order named. Robespierre made the running and Murphy kept the Derby winner well in hand. The moment he shook him up Riley forged to the front and won with ridiculous ease by two lengths. Letcher was a bad third. The time was phenomenal considering the condition of the track, the quarter occupying 25½s., the half 51½, the first mile in 1:47 and the mile and a quarter in 2:16½.

The other events were of only limited interest. In the opening dash Newcastle was first, Polemus second and Freed third.

Second race, for 2-year-olds—Katrina, first; Ora, second.

The mile selling race was won by the Scroggan colt G. W., and the 2-year-old selling race by Penny Royal.

West Side Park Races.

CHICAGO, May 20.—The West Side Park races yesterday resulted as follows:

First race, $400, for 2-year-olds, five-eights mile—Laura Doxey, first; Jocular, second; Ithaca, third. Time, 1:05.

Second race, purse $400, six furlongs—Ideal, first; Davidson, second; Oklahoma Kid, third. Time, 1:20.

Third race, Chicago Derby, one and one-quarter miles—Prince Fonso, first; Pilgrim, second; Blarneystone, third. Time, 2:17¾.

Fourth race, purse, selling, one mile—Lizzie B., first; Eight-to-Seven, second; Tudor, third. Time, 1:47½.

Fifth rrce, purse $400, three-quarters of a mile—Orderly, first; Anetia, second; Autumn Leaf, third. Time, 1:19 3-5.

A Lack of Entries.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 20.—The subscribers are announced for the four big guaranteed stake races at Charter Oak Park during the grand circuit meeting in August. The great event is the $10,000 race, which for the past half-dozen years has been the sensation of the trotting turf. This is for 2:20 horses and the subscribers are: Village Farm, East Aurora, N. Y.; G. I. Kelly, Norwalk, Elm City, N. H.; Elkton Stock Farm, Elkton, Md.; J. H. Winslow, Boston, and Glen View farm, Louisville, Ky. That there are only six subscribers is claimed to be due to apprehensions that Geneva S. and Aubine would appear on the track and owners of 2:20 horses are not anxious to meet them.

Jackson and Ed Smith.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Six thousand persons saw Peter Jackson try to knock out Ed Smith, the champion of Colorado, in five rounds last night. Four-ounce gloves were used and the fighting was very severe. Special interest was felt in the result owing to the fact that Muldoon was training Smith, and it was surmised that the result of the fight would have some influence on the Sullivan-Jackson match. In the first round Smith seemed a little timid and went down three times to avoid punishment. He showed up decidedly better in the second round and although his reach is much shorter than the colored champion's, he managed to get in some decidly heavy blows. In the third and fourth rounds he did better still, and towards the close held his own, and in the concluding round the men seemed very equally matched. Both were very groggy at the close, Jackson quite as much so as the Colorado man. After the fight Muldoon offered to back Smith in a fight to a finish against any man in the world bar Sullivan, McAuliffe and Jackson, for $5,000.

Sparring and Wrestling.

The members of the Olympic Gymnasium have arranged a sparring and wrestling programme for this evening, which will be given rain or shine. Messrs. Michel, Block, Phillips, Buscher, Holtzwalt, Humbert, Stoetzle, Schreiper, Armbruster, Neff, Hugh, Uller, Neist, and many other well known athletes will contribute to the entertainment. All members of the O. A. A. C. are invited, and also their friends.

Sporting Notes.

J. L. Malone of Denver has issued a challenge to play any man in the world continuous pool 450 points, 150 points a night for $500 a side and the championship. Malene wants the games played at Chicago, and has posted $100 forfeit with the Brunswick & Balke Co.

Base Ball Attendance.

The New York WORLD claims the attendance at base ball games has been better this year than last season, and in support of the claim publishes the following tabulated statement of the attendance for the twenty-four playing days this season and those for the same number of days last season:

ATTENDANCE FIGURES, 1890.

Players' League.	Date.	National League.
31,885	April 19	15,567
8,172	April 21	4,965
5,099	April 22	5,162
4,397	April 23	3,316
2,071	April 24	1,644
2,431	April 25	1,699
3,546	April 26	1,621
11,015	April 28	5,351
6,258	April 29	11,089
20,018	April 30	6,310
515	May 1	1,730
7,116	May 2	5,723
14,413	May 3	8,781
6,467	May 5	3,136
1,536	May 6	250
4,485	May 7	2,992
3,784	May 8	1,869
15,102	May 9	3,767
6,554	May 10	7,486
5,216	May 12	4,419
3,430	May 13	3,613
8,298	May 14	2,979
409	May 15	
3,224	May 16	4,875
170,342		108,294

ATTENDANCE FIGURES, 1889.

April 24	14,542	May 9	12,108
April 25	5,000	May 10	11,165
April 26	2,700	May 11	19,046
April 28	2,500	May 13	12,164
April 29	5,920	May 14	6,540
April 29 and May 1	32,890	May 15	10,090
May 2	4,572	May 16	8,408
May 3	7,000	May 17	22,221
May 4	20,750	May 18	12,917
May 6	10,950	May 19	1,712
May 7	6,215	May 21	6,185
May 8	22,082		
Total			267,667

Players' League	1890	170,342
National League	1890	108,294
Grand total		278,636
Attendance 1889		267,667
Surplus 1890		10,969

Yesterday's Games.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

The Browns met with another defeat at Rochester yesterday, the score standing 6 to 1 in favor of the New Yorkers. Ramsey started to pitch for St. Louis, but in the sixth inning was relieved by Wittrock. Earle caught. Barr and McGuire were the Rochester battery. Base hits—Rochester, 8; St. Louis, 7. Errors—Rochester, 1; St. Louis, 4.

At Philadelphia—Athletics, 11; Louisville, 3.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

At Boston—Boston, 14; Cleveland, 3.
At New York—New York, 12; Buffalo, 11.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 6; Chicago, 0.
At Philadelphia — Philadelphia, 16; Pittsburg, 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 18; Pittsburg, 2.
At New York—New York, 5; Cleveland, 4.
At Boston—Chicago, 7; Boston, 2.
At Philadelphia — Cincinnati, 9; Philadelphia, 6.

The Championship Race.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	P.	W.	L.	P. C.
Rochester	24	17	7	.708
Athletics	21	14	7	.666
Louisville	22	12	10	.545
St. Louis	23	11	12	.478
Toledo	19	9	10	.474
Syracuse	22	10	12	.455
Columbus	23	10	13	.435
Brooklyn	20	4	16	.200

PLAYERS.	P.	W.	L.	P.C.	NATIONAL.	P.	W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	22	13	9	.591	Philadelp'a	20	12	8	.600
Brooklyn	22	13	9	.591	Chicago	17	10	7	.588
Chicago	19	11	8	.579	Cincinnati	20	11	9	.550
Philadelp'a	20	10	10	.500	Brooklyn	19	10	9	.526
New York	20	9	11	.450	New York	21	10	11	.476
Pittsburg	18	8	10	.444	Cleveland	16	7	9	.438
Cleveland	16	7	9	.438	Pittsburg	19	8	11	.421
Buffalo	15	5	10	.333	Boston	22	9	13	.409

Base Ball Briefs.

Garfield, who pitched a few games for Pittsburg last summer, has signed with the Cleveland National League Club.

There was no association game at Brooklyn yesterday. The Toledo men put in an appearance but Capt. Fennely thought the grounds were in bad condition and did not call out his men. Toledo claims the game.

There is considerable sensation in Columbus over the liberality of the Association Club towards the local base ball reporters. It is alledged that presents of $50 were given to insure the club being "taken care of." Two refusals of the "present" have led to disclosures and explanations.

Amateur Nines.

The Jefferson Reds have organized for the season and would like to hear from all clubs whose players are under 13 years of age. Address challenges to G. Collet, 2218 Sidney street.

The Madisandes defeated the Checkers Sunday by a score of 23 to 8, and would like to have games with all nines with players under 12 years of age, the Picketts Jrs. preferred.

The St. Louis Standards defeated the Hannibal, Mo., club Sunday by a score of 3 to 2. The feature of the game was the battery work of Quinn and Strike and the fielding of Harris and all of the Standards.

The Wm. Barrs defeated the Willows at Forest Park Sunday morning in an exciting contest by the score of 4 to 3. The features of the game was the home run drive of Wey and the battery work of Barker and Pluxter.

The Victor-Decatur game was stopped on account of rain, the score being 4 to 3 in the Vctors' favor. Clubs with players under 18 years are challenged by the Victors. Uniformed teams prepared address F. Hoberg, 2142 Victor street.

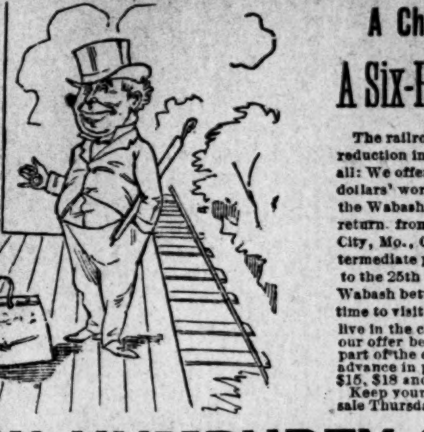
The Populars have organized with the following player: sG. Hassett, pitcher and captain; C. Hassett, c.; M. Sabor, 1b.; G. Matson, 2b.; B. Runyan, 3b.; Bob Singer, s. s.; H. Heman, l. f.; Geo. Boswell, r. f.; F. Conway, c. f. All nines with players under 15 years of age address challenges to G. Hassett, 3023 Thomas street.

The Little Freight Agents of the Wabash Railroad Co., have organized for the season with the following players: M. Kelly, 1b.; Doc. Houts, 2b.; W. Miller, 3b.; B. A. McDonald, ss.; C. Ebbert, p.; A. Wylie, c.; E. Tiffen, c.f.; W. Wylie, r.f.; G. Simpson, l.f. Will play all nines under 12 years of age. Address all challenges to Capt. M. Kelly, care of General Freight Office, Wabash Railroad Co., St. Louis, Mo.

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Keep your eye on our windows for our great special sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

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THE MAY FESTIVAL.

Making Final Arrangement for the Great Gathering.

The regular monthly meeting of the Sunday-School Superintendents' Union was held at the Mercantile Club last evening. There were present a large number of active and enthusiastic Sunday-school workers, and all doubtless felt that they were amply repaid for coming. The subject under discussion was the general exercises of the school. This was opened by A. F. Mason, Superintendent of the North Presbyterian Sunday-school. A general discussion followed.

Mr. Mason placed a model programme on the board and explained its various features in answer to a question by the several superintendents.

The Executive Committee presented as a subject for the next meeting, "The Pastor and His Relation to the Sunday-school."

The report of the committee was accepted with amendment that the meeting be held in some of the West End churches in order to accommodate the large attendance that is expected. The matter of the May festival was brought up and enthusiastic reports given by President McClain and Chorister Lindsay. The President stated that ten schools had responded to his request to participate in the parade on Olive and Fourth streets on the 31st, and that from present appearances there would be from 4,000 to 6,000 children from the Mission Schools in line. It was explained that this was not intended to be a general parade of all the children, but only of the Mission Schools in the Eastern part of the city.

Wm. Randolph was elected

GRAND MARSHAL,

with power to call to his assistance such aid as he might need in handling the parade. E. P. Ritter of the Famous agreed to furnish free transportation to the grounds for all who would participate in the march.

Chorister Lindsay reported that over five thousand members had attended the chorus rehearsals, and that the indications were fair for a chorus of eight to ten thousand, and urged upon the Superintendents that they request their schools to join the chorus during the coming week. The new features of the programme, the Panorama of Missionary Nations, kindergarten exercises and the parade of the Broom Brigade and uniform companies are all progressing nicely.

Robt. Rutledge reported that over 1,600 tickets had been sold on Monday and urged that all schools should procure their tickets, badges and have booths assigned this week without fail. The Union adjourned to meet Monday, June 16.

VOTE FOR BURNET TO-DAY. IMPORTANT.

A TRIP TO KENTUCKY.

Annual Outing of the Louisville & Nashville Road—A Visit to Middlesboro.

The St. Louis contingent of the party which took part in the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co.'s annual outing returned home yesterday. Among them were Mr. W. E. Atmore, city passenger agent of the Louisville & Nashville, who had charge of the party; Mr. J. E. Davenport, passenger and ticket agent of the St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas; Mr. Harry Morris, passenger agent of the Air Line; W. T. Townsend, traveling passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio road, and several other railroad men. The party were conveyed in a special sleeper over the L. & N. to Mount Vernon, Ill., and thence over the Air Line to Louisville, where they arrived on Friday. At the latter city six other sleepers arrived from various points with guests from Chicago, Cincinnati, Kansas City, Indianapolis, Pittsburg and other cities.

The party was met at Louisville by the local Ticket and Passenger Agents' Association and escorted to the headquarters at the Louisville Hotel where the most complete arrangements had been made for the comfort and entertainment of the guests. On Friday afternoon the race course was visited and in the evening there was a grand banquet at which several speeches were made. On Saturday morning the seven Pullman cars, with their occupants were taken by special train to Middleboro, Ky., one of the most remarkable cities on the Continent, and one whose growth has been more rapid than can be well imagined. The town was formed about a year ago, while it has now 5,000 inhabitants. There are many elegant buildings, and the streets are lighted by electricity. The paving is a model in the way of smoothness, and the sidewalks are of grooved bricks of local make. Street car tracks are being built and there is already a belt steam road, seven miles in length, encircling the city. A few hours were spent by the guests in taking in the sights of the city and in the evening a banquet of an exceptional character was tendered by the Middlesboro Town Co. Mr. Alex. A. Arthur, President and General Manager of the Town Co., presided and extended the hospitality of the young city to the visitors. Mr. Odus A. Hall was in charge of the press representatives and renewed acquaintance with several of his old colleagues.

On Sunday Cumberland Gap was visited and its many points of interest examined. In the evening the special train returned to Louisville, whence on the following day the various home journeys were commenced. The excursionists are full of enthusiasm over Middlesboro and its hospitable citizens and predict great things for the city in the early future.

EVERY bottle of Phos-Ferrone has name blown in bottle—imitations have not.

A Young Lady Shot.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 20.—Miss Florence McKeogh, a every estimable young lady, was mysteriously shot while out riding, about dark yesterday evening. No one can account for the shooting. Miss McKeogh is not fatally wounded.

VOTE FOR BURNET AS YOU GO HOME.

Woman Government a Failure.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 20.—The women officials of Edgerton have all resigned and men have been elected in their places. The men charged that the women were abusing their power to make a foolish expenditure of money and the women got mad and said the men could run their own city as they pleased. The men are happy and the government of the town runs smooth again.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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ST. LOUIS, TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 20, 1890.

ON A GRAND SCALE.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CORONATION OF REX II. AT OGDEN, UTAH.

The Contest for the Honor of Queen of the Carnival—Maids of Honor to Be Selected From St. Louis, New Orleans, New York and Elsewhere—Local Interest in the Affair.

Auditor Brown, the Chairman of the committee appointed by the Mayor to select a number of society ladies to represent the city at the coronation of Rex II. at Ogden, Utah, early in July, as maids of honor, will call a meeting in a few days for the purpose of increasing the membership of the committee. It is now composed of Auditor Brown, R. W. Goode, W. L. Johnson, David Nicholson, John B. O'Meara and Judge Normile. Auditor Brown favors a large committee and will increase its membership to ten or twenty if his associates do not object. When the committee meets, the matter of selecting the ladies to attend the grand social event beyond the Rockies will be taken up and the members will then be prepared to hear suggestions. Auditor Brown says he appreciates the immensity of the responsibility resting on the committee, but is not afraid to face it. He is hopeful that the Queen of the Carnival will be selected from the St. Louis contingent of fair ones, though New Orleans and other cities propose to enter the contest for that honor. It will be an aggressive campaign, he believes, but is satisfied that it will be a fair contest,

FREE FROM FAVORITISM.

He does not know as yet how many ladies will be selected, but will hope that the number be large so as to give as much satisfaction as possible. There will be several married ladies selected to serve as chaperons and some society men may also be delegated to join the merry party. Auditor Brown and other members of the committee say it would not do to ignore the society men.

A. L. Richardson, the Secretary of the Ogden Board of Trade and one of the officers of the Carnival Committee, has been in the city several days, and yesterday left for New York to see that the society people of Gotham send a delegation of their fairest belles. Mr. Richardson spent several hours with Auditor Brown and told him of the extensive arrangements that had been made and were still being made for the carnival. The idea of establishing an organization similar to that headed by Rex I. in New Orleans, he said, originated among the leading society people of Ogden some time ago. They perfected an organization which included in its membership a number of former residents of the Crescent City, who were familiar with the workings of the mysterious body who paid honor and homage to Rex I. A correspondence was opened with the officers of Rex's court and the result was that the Crescent City people took kindly to the movement and promised the prospective subjects of Rex beyond the Rockies every aid and co-operation. Other cities have become interested, and the carnival officers say the event will be conducted on the

GRANDEST SCALE POSSIBLE.

There will be nothing of an advertising nature in connection with it, the object being chiefly to give a society event in the metropolis of Utah that will never be forgotten in that section.

Speaking of what the Carnival Committee proposed to do for the entertainment of their distinguished guests, he said that a large hall was nearing completion, specially designed for the three grand balls they propose to give. The first will be given in honor of Rex I., who will be on hand with the ladies and gentlemen of his court and he will of course lead the grand march. The second ball, which will occur the next night, will be a military affair and the third a mask ball. The hall will have a seating capacity of 10,000, and there will be sufficient floor room for 1,000 couples to dance at a time. Rex II. will be crowned the first day of the carnival and will be attended by the Queen, who is to be selected from the Maids of Honor.

Mr. Richardson said that the committee had made arrangements to have the railroad companies run special trains composed of the costliest Pullman cars ever constructed. The city during the carnival, he added, will be decorated on a scale of splendor rarely attempted in this or any other country.

When the committee delegated by Mayor Noonan to select the names of the maids of honor has completed the task, the names will be sent to Col. R. S. Harvey of the St. Charles Hotel at New Orleans. The ladies will be notified of their selection through the committee in that city. Each of the honored ones will receive an invitation gotten up on a grand scale, and intended to be preserved as a souvenir.

VOTE FOR BURNET TO-DAY. IMPORTANT.

CARRIED OUT THEIR THREAT.

Two Discharged Workmen Deliberately Kill Their Former Employer.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 20.—Word has just been received by the *Tribune* of the killing of Mr. Collin, of the firm of Collin & Kilpatrick, contractors of Omaha, which took place last Tuesday near Pioche, Nevada. According to the report, two men who were employed by Collin quit work and demanded their money. Collin told them they could not quit and that he would not pay them. They demanded their money and Collin persistently refused to pay it. Then one of the men went away, but soon returned with a Winchester and the two men made another demand for their money, but Collin still refused. One of them, taking out his watch, said they would give him just eight minutes to settle, holding the watch in his hand, while the other held the gun in close proximity to their victim. Collin did not appear to weaken and at the end of the eight minutes the man shot and killed him. The tragedy it is said was witnessed by a number of people, but no attempt was made to avert it and no arrests were made. The public sentiment appears to be with the men who did the killing.

EVERY bottle of Phos-Ferrone has name blown in bottle—imitations have not.

Given Up by His Brother.

JACKSON, Miss., May 20.—Henry Singleton, who has been serving a life sentence in the Penitentiary for the murder of Marie Wren in Natchez in 1877, escaped from the Penitentiary, but was arrested here on information furnished by his brother.

LODGE NOTICES.

COSMOS LODGE, NO. 282, A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication this (Tuesday) evening at Masonic Temple (Chapter Room). Work in M. M. Degree by the "Team." Visitors are always desired in Cosmos. EDEN REED, Secy. A. PERSINGER, W. M.

ALL members of the Royal Arcanum who desire to attend the Supreme Council in Milwaukee on the 4th of June will please register at once at the Grand Secretary's office, in order that full arrangements may be made. B. R. BONNER, Grand Regent. W. E. ROBINSON, Grand Secretary. 33

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

Book-keepers.

WANTED—Situation as bookkeeper; 12 years' experience; sober and energetic; good references. Address F 63, this office. 36

Clerks and Salesman.

WANTED—Situation by an educated young man as bill or shipping clerk; low wages; good references; German spoken. Address C 74, this office.

Boys.

WANTED—Situation by boy of 17 years of age, who lives with parents, at any respectable business. Address H 75, this office. 42

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A position as collector; have had previous experience; can give references. Address D 75, this office. 42

THE POST-DISPATCH

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NINTH ST.—2625 N	O. Claus
OLIVE ST.—1500	R. Riley
OLIVE ST.—2800	J. L. Royston
OLIVE ST.—3000	J. Guerdan & Co
OLIVE ST.—3201	Louis Schurk
OLIVE ST.—3500	Adam B. Roth
OLIVE ST.—3615	W. R. Grant
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WASHINGTON AV.—2338	T. S. Glenn
WASHINGTON AV.—2800	J. Weiner
WASHINGTON AV.—3901	Sultan's Pharmacy

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TO ADVERTISERS.

Owing to the early departure of the fast-mail train, advertisements for the SUNDAY MORNING POST-DISPATCH must be in the office before 9 o'clock Saturday night to insure insertion.

Parties advertising in these columns and having the answers addressed in care of POST-DISPATCH, will please ask for check to enable them to get their letters, as none will be delivered except on presentation of check. All answers to advertisements should be inclosed in envelopes. Parties answering advertisements must have their replies directed to their own POSTOFFICE address.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Drug clerk who can speak German. Apply to or address F. Koeneke, care Moffitt-West Drug Co. 54

WANTED—Ten gentlemen of good appearance and live salesmen to represent us in this city in new business. Call at room 34, 904 Olive st. 54

HAYWARD'S

Business and Shorthand College, 618 and 620 Olive st. Open all summer; all branches taught. 54

BARNES'

Shorthand and Business College, Laclede Fire-proof Building, 406 Olive st. Telephones 411 and 1396.

The Trades.

WANTED—General pattern-maker. 211 Chouteau av. 58

WANTED—Painters. Weldon & Rogers, 2744 Olive st. 58

WANTED—Ten good carriage painters at 3417 Locust st. 58

WANTED—2 good tinners. Hemp & Co., 117 & 119 Locust st. 58

WANTED—A good barber; bring tools. Call at once at 1015 Cass av. 58

WANTED—Three carriage painters at Fred Wagner's, 2326 S. Broadway. 58

WANTED—10 oil barrel coopers. W. K. Fairbanks & Co., 3d and Convent sts. 58

WANTED—Blacksmith's helper. Embree-McLean Carriage Co., 1817 Olive st. 58

WANTED—Gear varnishers and stripers. Haydock Bros., 14th and Papin sts. 58

WANTED—A machinist at 2711-13 Laclede av. Unique Window Screen Factory. 58

WANTED—Stained glass cutters and glaziers. Stoddard & Davis, 2014 Olive st. 58

WANTED—First-class pattern maker permanent job in country. Call 938 N. 2d st. 58

WANTED—A No. 1 blacksmith at the McMurray-Judge Iron Works, 21st and Papin st. 58

WANTED—Man to drill and bolt tire. Embree-McLean Carriage Co., 1817 Olive st. 58

WANTED—Good steady man with permit or license, to run boiler and do yard work at Lafayette Park Hotel. 58

WANTED—Quarrymen and laborers; wages $1.75 to $2.50 per day; Claggett and Union avs. John Bambrick. 58

WANTED—A few first-class car carpenters at the Terre Haute Car-works. Terre Haute Car & Manufacturing Co., Terre Haute, Ind. 58

WANTED—Six or eight limestone cutters for building work; also one good carver. Address the Culver Marble & Stone Co., Springfield, Ill. 58

Boys.

WANTED—Neat boy to tend cigar store. 211 N. 7th st. 61

WANTED—Boy with experience to feed job press. Vitrey, 108 N. 12th st. 61

WANTED—An experienced boy to work in a meat market. 2361 Market st. 61

WANTED—Boy or young man to work around saloon. 1420 Second Carondelet av. 61

WANTED—A boy about 12 or 15 years of age to deliver goods. Apply Theo. H. Tempel, 2601 Market st. 61

WANTED—Two strong boys, from 14 to 16 years old, at E. W. Krueger candy factory, cor. 19th and Carr sts. 61

WANTED—A good, smart boy to drive an advertising wagon; call to-morrow morning before 7 o'clock. J. W. Feens. 2122 N. 10th, Kerns' Livery Stable. 61

Waiters.

WANTED—A No. 1 waiter, colored preferred, at 1414 Lucas pl. 57

Laborers.

WANTED—Laborers at 2800 DeKalb st. 59

WANTED—50 teams and men on 19th and Olive sts. Thos. Whelan. 59

WANTED—Laborers; steady work. Main and Madison; Bambrick Bates Cons. Co. 59

WANTED—100 quarrymen; wages $2.75 per day. Apply to foreman O'Meara's quarry, 25th and Montgomery sts. 59

WANTED—All quarrymen to keep away from St. Louis during the strike. Kansas City, Chicago and Louisville papers please copy. By order of the president. Joe Obear, Quarrymen's Union. 59

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Young men at 1217 Poplar st. 62

WANTED—Waiters at the Delicatessen, 716 N. Broadway, 718 Olive, 118 N. 4th st. 62

WANTED—Stout young man to take care of horses and help in meat market. 3565 Olive st. 62

WANTED—Experienced bundle wrappers; bring references. Apply to John Crawford, D. Crawford & Co. 62

WANTED—Man to run cutting machine; also one to tie up sheets, etc. C. B. Woodward Co., 911 N. 6th st. 62

WANTED—A man, white or colored, to wait on table and work about house and grounds; recommendations required. Apply at 2318 Lafayette av.

WANTED—Single gentleman of experience or college graduate to take charge of a department in an old, well established school. Address S 74, this office. 62

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—A first-class fitter and draper would like to make engagements; refs. 1321½ N. 11th.

WANTED—A dressmaker of long experience desires engagements at residences; cutting and fitting a specialty. Address or call at 1405 Pine st.

Housekeepers.

WANTED—Situation as working housekeeper in a small family by a middle-aged woman; wages $1.50 per week. Address C 75, this office. 47

WANTED—Young widow wants situation as working housekeeper or general housework in small family. Call 1837 Division st., up-stairs. 47

General Housework.

WANTED—Sit. to do housework or plain sewing. 1918 Franklin av 48

WANTED—Girl wants situation to do housework. Apply 3616 Lucky st. 48

WANTED—Situation by a woman to do general work, with references. 1217 Collins st. 48

STOVE REPAIRS!

For every stove or range made in the United States to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st. 48

Laundresses.

WANTED—Situation by a young girl to do washing, ironing and cooking. Ap. at 2028 N. High.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—Lady as assistant book-keeper and correspondent; state experience, salary expected, etc. J. Fleming, Post-office. 63

Housekeepers.

WANTED—Good-appearing young woman as working housekeeper. Give particulars to E 75, this office. 65

General Housework.

WANTED—A first-class housegirl at 3316 Washington av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1516 N. Grand av. 66

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 2328 Pine st. 66

WANTED—Colored girl to assist in housework at 1033 Selby pl. 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 1634 Park av. 66

WANTED—A small girl for work about the house. 2905 Sheridan av. 66

WANTED—Girl to do general housework in a small family. 1110 Brooklyn st. 66

WANTED—Girl for housework; one that can sleep at home. 2316 Chouteau av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. Inquire 1109 Tyler st. 66

WANTED—A woman to assist with general work during the day. 1800 Olive st. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework; family of two. Apply 1540 Mississippi av. 66

WANTED—A girl of 14 or 15 years old to assist in light housework. 1118 Locust st. 66

WANTED—A good colored girl for general housework; no washing. 1919 Olive st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 1523 Carr st. 66

WANTED—Small girl to assist at light housework and sleep at home. 4143 Finney av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework, without washing; good wages. 2742 Geyer av. 66

WANTED—Girl for housework in family of three; must have reference. 3806 Washington av. 66

WANTED—A girl to do general housework in a small family. Apply lower flat 2754 Chestnut st.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in a small family; references required. Apply at 3323 Lucas av. 66

WANTED—A middle aged woman for general housework; wages $4 per week. Apply at 1909B Chouteau av. 66

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—A good girl for dressmaking. 1303 S. 13th st. 69

WANTED—2 good dressmakers; Estes system. 3117 Thomas st. 69

WANTED—Good seamstress for plain sewing; steady work. 904 Pine. 69

WANTED—Operators on Wheeler & Wilson and Singer sewing machines. St. Louis Corset Co., 21st and Morgan. 69

WANTED—Immediately, a good girl for general housework in small family; good wages to a good girl. 1414 N. Leffingwell av. 69

Nurses.

WANTED—A nursegirl about 14 or 16 years old. 3138 Chestnut st. 70

WANTED—A good girl for nursing and housework. 2631 Chestnut st. 70

WANTED—A good girl to attend child 4 years old and assist with housework; must come well recommended. Call at once. 3732 Pine st. 70

WANTED—A competent woman to take care of a child, 3 years old, and wait on a lady; only one with first-class reference need apply. 2815 Dickson st. 70

Cooks, etc.

WANTED—Immediately; a first-class colored cook. 3422 Washington av. 68

WANTED—A young girl to assist with cooking and housework. Apply 3142 Chestnut st. 68

WANTED—A neat German girl to cook; without washing and ironing. 3661 Finney av. 68

WANTED—A cook and a girl to wait on table. Southeastern Hotel, Front st., E. St. Louis. 68

WANTED—Woman to cook, wash and iron; small family; reference required. 3806 Washington av. 68

WANTED—To teach a good, willing colored girl to cook, by an experienced woman. Add. P 72, this office. 68

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Chambermaid, at Hotel Barnum. 71

WANTED—A girl dishwasher at 1328 Franklin av. restaurant. 71

WANTED—Smart dining room girl and woman for general work. 2608 Olive st. 71

WANTED—At Bridge Restaurant 3d and Washington av., one order cook and one kitchen girl.

WANTED—One first-class vamper, two plain stitchers, one lining marker and one beader, all on ladies' fine shoes at Brown-Desnoyers Shoe Co., cor. 8th and Walnut. 71

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—Good live canvassers both male and female; new article; sells everywhere on sight; big money. Apply after 8 a. m. at 1303 Hickory st.

WANTED—Two neat appearing men to advertise a specialty from house to house; salary paid. Call this evening, bet. 7:30 and 9 o'clock. A. Lewis, Hurst's Hotel. 73

WANTED—First-class men to solicit for "The Life, Writings and Speeches of Henry W. Grady." The only authorized volume. Call at Hotel St. Louis, 4th and Locust. J. O. Rickey, State Manager. 73

WANTED—Salesmen at $75 month salary and expenses, to sell line of silver-plated ware, watches, etc., by sample only; horse and team free. Write at once for full particulars and sample case of goods free. Standard Silver Ware Co., Boston, Mass. 73

THEATRICAL.

GRAHAME'S DRAMATIC SCHOOL—1524 Olive st.; stage and fancy dancing a specialty. Call for terms. 75

WANTED—Young ladies for theatrical company; experience not necessary. Address W 74, this office. 75

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

WANTED—To Exchange—An A1 covered carriage, will exchange for surrey or doctor's phaeton. Add. D 65, this office. 24

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—Furnished flat of 5 or 6 rooms for housekeeping; no children; centrally located. Address B 75, this office. 21

WANTED—Two or three rooms, first floor, near cable, with pleasant yard, where two bright little folks, 7 and 5 years, can play unmolested. Address "The Monitor," Room 48, Pope's Theater building. 21

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—A good watch dog, mastiff preferred. Address 2347 Louisiana av. 26

MUSICAL.

FOR SALE—Piano, cheap; $75. 3705 S. Jefferson av. 27

PERSONAL.

Advertisements under the head of "Personal" are received subject to revision or rejection entirely. The money paid for rejected advertisements will be refunded when address is given, or by calling at this office with ticket. Advertisements in this column not of a business nature, of two lines and over, FIFTEEN cents per line.

PERSONAL—Jim: I am still at the same place. Come. Dol. 1

PERSONAL—The wife: Arrived to-day; will leave Friday morning. Hubby. 1

PERSONAL—Will young ladies in tea-cart who noticed gents in buggy on boulevard and then at Del., Sunday, send address to A 75, this office. 1

PERSONAL—Will brunette who noticed gent leave south-bound 6th street car near Benton Park, Saturday evening last, please favor him with her Address or say where he can meet her, and oblige? address T 74, this office. 1

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

DRS. GRAY & LYONS' magnetic healing institute, with baths and massage treatment; all manner of diseases successfully treated, with male and female attendants. 1528 Olive st. 74

LEBANON Magnetic Water for Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder troubles. Have five gallons sent home from Addingtons' Mineral Water Depot, 700 Olive st. 74

MME. LEOHN tells fortunes by burning fluid; satisfaction guaranteed. 1525 Morgan st. 74

MRS. ARTHUR, ladies' physician; midwife; boards dur. con.; terms reas; strictly con. 2120 Chestnut.

MRS. DOCTRESS DOSSEN, ladies' physician. All communications strictly confidential. Ladies in trouble call at 1332 Chouteau av., St. Louis, Mo. 74

MRS. A. COLE'S bath and massage parlors, magnetic and electric treatment; bayrum and alcohol rubbings included; prof. treat.; lady ops. 1124 Pine

MME. RIENER, ladies' physician and midwife; regular graduate of two colleges; female diseases a specialty, ladies received in the house during confinement; charges reasonable. 119 S. 14th st. 74

MRS. A. BURGER, M. D., receives ladies during confinement; first-class accommodations at reasonable terms. Ladies in trouble call at 2300 S. 12th st. Take yellow cars at Union Depot going south. 74

PARTIES declining housekeeping realize highest cash prices for their carpets, furniture and effects in large or small lots, by sending to R. U. Leonori, Jr., & Co., Auctioneers 1104-6 Olive.

3C PER YARD—Steam carpet cleaning; best and largest. Eagle Works, 21st and St. Charles. 74

1,000 BUSINESS CARDS, $1. H.B.Crole & Co., printers, 813 Locust. Send for estimates.

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THE UNIQUE

Patented October 15, 1889. Finest window screens on earth; examine them and be convinced. Let your eyes be your judge, pocket your guide and your money the last thing to part with. Manufactured and for sale by the Unique Window Screen Factory, 2711 Laclede av. 74



DR. E. C. Chase's

Dental Rooms, 904 Olive. Established 20 years; gas given to over 15,000 people without harm. A permanent record kept of every filling and plate made. Every operator a graduate of some first-class dental college and all men of from 8 to 20 years' experience. Prices moderate. 74

MME. ANNA, the fortune-teller of the West. 326 Market st., near 4th. Established 1851. 74

A Great Fortune Teller

by Hand Reader and Astrologist; tells three different ways, the young Madame De Merchale, just arrived from Europe, will remain a short time; tells past, present and future, in person or by letter; tells lady or gentleman by the letters in hand who the future husband or wife will be; brings back the husband or lover in so many days; I never fail. Call and be convinced that I tell true, and guarantee to settle family troubles; can give good luck and success in all kinds of business; guarantee satisfaction; also, give luck in long and safe journeys; mothers should come and bring date of their children to tell what business best adapted; gives luck in long and dangerous journeys by water or land; I teach the art of fortune-telling to those adapted for same; cures corns, bunions, asthma and catarrh. Ladies call at once. Office hours, 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Mme. De Merchale, parlors, 2337 Olive st., near Jefferson av., St. Louis, Mo. Cut this out, as it will not appear every day. Open every day, including Sundays. 74

MRS. C. LUBY,

Renowned Fortune-Teller, truest business adviser and spiritual healer, unites lovers and friends who have been estranged; promotes speedy marriages; cures disease and gives luck in business and love affairs; disease healed spiritually; talismans and charms for luck and safety; manufactures Luby Lucky Belt, which has shown such wonderful results. Hours from 8 a. m. till 8 p. m. Letters with stamp answered, 209 N. 14th st., between Olive and Pine. 74

BUSINESS CHANCES.

WANTED—Good business man with $10,000 to extend an established growing manufacturing business paying large profits. Address H 68, this office. 2

REMOVALS.

DRS. S. & D. DAVIESON

Have removed to 2233 Olive st. Office entrance, 23d st. 35

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—For cash, dry goods and notion store. 1956 Sidney. 4

FOR SALE—One 20 furnished room house. Wardlow & Co., 117 N. 8th st. 4

FOR SALE—Candy and ice-cream parlor; good place for candymaker; cheap; good reason for selling. 1538 S. Broadway. 4

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Water spaniel, liver color, very curly hair; $10 reward. John Love, 1011 Biddle st. 30

LOST—One white and liver colored pointer dog; return it to 3417 Locust st. and receive reward. 30

LOST—A male pug pup 3 months old. A liberal reward for his return to 1822 Olive st.; $10 reward.

LOST—A water spaniel dog; answers to the name of Tap. Return to 3140 Chesnut and receive reward. 30

LOST—A black and white shepherd dog; 6 months old. Anyone returning him to 708 Pine st. will be rewarded. 30

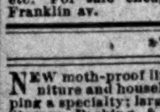
LOST—On Morgan st. cable car this morning parcel containing office books and papers; finder will be rewarded by returning same to Macdonald & Co.; 110 S. Main st. 30

STRAYED—Or stolen—A large white and black and gray spotted dog; license No. 1,186. Suitable reward by returning to 2223 Dodier st. 30

STRAYED—On the eve of the 11th inst., from the D. R. Francis farm, two horses, one light sorrel about 16 hands high, 8 or 9 years old, star in forehead; the other, slim bay horse over 16 hands high star in forehead, fore white feet shod in front and about 9 years old; $10 reward will be paid for information leading to their recovery. N. B. Dorsey, 5729 Eichelburg av. 30

ALL SORTS.

LEBANON Magnetic Water for Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder troubles. Have five gallons sent home from Addingtons' Mineral Water Depot, 700 Olive st. 32



ST. LOUIS MUTUAL HOUSE BUILDING CO., Office No. 513 Walnut st., Samuel Simmons, Pres.; Hugo Kromrey, Sec. This pioneer company builds or purchases houses at option of applicants, on monthly payment plan in St. Louis City. Prospectus at office free of charge.

2,000 UNREDEEMED gold and silver watches, 3,000 rings, 1,000 clocks and large quantities of gold and silver chains, bracelets, jewelry, etc. For sale cheap at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av. 32

STORAGE.

NEW moth-proof lined separate rooms for fine furniture and household goods; packing and shipping a specialty; large padded vans for hire. Fidelity Storage, Packing & Moving Co., Eugene Brown, Manager, 1003 Pine st. Telephone 1401. 81

STORAGE—Regular storage house for furniture, pianos, trunks, stoves, boxes, etc. Household goods of every description moved, packed and shipped with care. Money loaned; get our rates. Warehouses, 1014 to 1026 S. Jefferson av. Telephone 1422. 81 R. U. LEONORI, JR., & CO., 1104-6 Olive st.

SELKIRK'S CENTRAL STORAGE WAREHOUSE for fine furniture, pianos, etc.; separate plastered room; moving and packing; money advanced; estimates made. 12 N. 7th st. Phone 1476.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

20 S. 6TH ST.—(Cor. Walnut and 6th.)—Nicely furnished rooms, 3d-floor, gents only. 13

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2113 LUCAS PLACE—Elegantly furnished rooms, first-class board. 18

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Elegant 10-room dwelling in most complete order. Here is something very choice. T. S. NOONAN & BRO., 800 Chestnut st. 14

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For Sale.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 5 mares, 5 horses, 1 farmer's wagon, with double harness. I am stopping at Rinkel's Grove, Easton av. 12

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For vehicles, 200 new and second-hand cut under and jump seat surreys, storm buggies, phaetons, carts, park wagons, buggies, laundry, grocery, bakery, butcher, milk wagons, trucks. 1110 N. Broadway. 12

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With spring and summer vehicles that must be sold. Call and examine. At

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35 Head of Fine Horses.

I will sell at public auction at John Kirk's Auction Stable, 1428 N. Broadway, on Wednesday, May 21, at 10 o'clock a. m., 35 head of young, sound, well-broke horses, consisting of well-matched carriage teams, also some well-broke drivers, several combined saddle and harness horses, well-broke business horses, 3 ponies and a few heavy draft horses. The above stock can be seen at the above number on Monday and Tuesday, and will be shown at any time Monday and Tuesday, so that parties wishing to bid on stock can have an opportunity to have them examined, drove or rode before the sale. The above stock will be sold positively to the highest bidder. All defects, if any, will be pointed out at the sale, as each horse will be positively sold on his merits. 12 THOS. MAXWELL.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Counters and shelves cheap at 1205 S. Broadway. 5

FOR SALE—Furniture, carpets, gas fixtures, etc.; parties leaving city. 3842 Page av. 5

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, from S. S. B. Polish chickens. Add. F. Wagner, 3217 N. 2d st., St. Louis, Mo. 5

FOR SALE—One 4½x9 and one 5x10 billiard table in good condition, with balls and fixtures. Address Box 73, Bunker Hill, Ill. 5

FOR SALE—1 parlor suit, 1 bedroom suit and 1 family Garland stove nearly new; cheap; only in use 7 months; good chance for young couple. 1538 S. Broadway. 5

FOR SALE—At Missouri Car & Foundry Co., 2805 DeKalb st., shavings, 1-horse load, 40c; 2-horse load, 80c; wood, 1-horse load, $1; 2-horse load, $2; we don't deliver. 5

SEWING-MACHINES from $7 to $15, all in perfect order, at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av. 5

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FOR SALE—Cheap; a substantial four-story brick building, 60x80 ft.; suitable for manufacturing; large lot; switch from Mo. Pacific. 7 WM. C. WILSON & Co., 619 Chestnut st.

FOR SALE—3728 Evans av., a new two-story stock brick, a large reception hall (it is a daisy), 25x125; a big bargain. JOS. HACKMANN, 7 708 Chestnut st.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—House and lot, 4040 Morgan st., bet. Vandeventer and Sarah, nice new two-story stone-front house of 7 rooms; hall, bath and gas; electric bells; would exchange for vacant ground near Jefferson av., north or south. 7 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE—Notice is hereby given that a meeting of subscribers to the new Real Estate Exchange Fund will be held at the Old Exchange, Nos. 12 and 14 N. 7th st., on Wednesday, May 21, 1890, at 4 o'clock p. m. BERNARD KERNAN, President. WM. B. SAVAGE, Secretary. 7

$8500 WILL BUY 2722 Chestnut st., 2-story mansard detached stone-front 8-room house, with all conveniences, electric bells, speaking tubes, marble mantels, grates, furnace and laundry; lot, 50x131; splendid neighborhood. ADAM BOECK & CO., 207 N. 8th st.

FOR SALE.

$5,000 Will Buy

On Westminster place. 8-room, new, modern detached press-brick front house, bath, gas, water, sewerage; all conveniences; lot 29x149. This is a bargain. This house was not built to sell. Owner wishes to leave city.

$3,500 Will Buy

In the West End, near Vandeventer place, 6-room house; gas, all conveniences. Owner will trade for unimproved property.

Washington Av., West Sarah St.

New modern detached 8-room house; water, gas, all conveniences; lot 30x157; near beautiful First Presbyterian Church.

$7,500 Will Buy

On beautiful Bell av. new modern 8-room detached house; bath, hot and cold water; all conveniences; lot 25x135.

$12,500 Will Buy on Delmar Avenue, Near Cabanne Avenue

An elegant 10-room detached house; all modern conveniences; lot 50x150. Splendid house; street car tracks will be taken off Delmar av., making it one of the choicest streets in the city.

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New modern 7-room detached house; water; bath; near new electric Lindell Ry. line; owner a non-resident; anxious to sell.

CHAS. C. NICHOLLS, 713 Chestnut St. Telephone 885. 7

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We offer a rare bargain in a corner improved with store and flats, rented at $924 per year; price only $7,800. This is a first-class investment, and will go quickly. For particulars call on SAMUEL BOWMAN & CO., 7 Odd Fellows' Building, 9th and Olive.

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An elegant new modern 11-room house, detached, has 13-inch walls all around from top to bottom, handsome reception hall, light cheerful rooms, good ventilation, splendid mantels, sanitary plumbing; electric light. One square from Olive st. cable; 1½ squares from First Presbyterian Church; nothing choicer on Washington av. CHAS. C. NICHOLLS, Telephone 885. 713 Chestnut st.

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1019 TO 1023 N. LEFFINGWELL AV.—Price, $14,000. 6 new flats, each containing 4 rooms, bath and w. c.; rented at $22.50 each per month—$1,680 per year; an excellent investment at the price named.

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78 Vandeventer Place.

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For Sale—Monthly payments—No. 3030 Washington av., near Garrison, nice two-story brick house with eight rooms, hall, gas and bath; Baltimore heater; lot 25x135 feet. Terms—$800 cash, balance $40 to $50 per month. 7 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

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NICE NEW FLATS.

For sale—1117 and 1119 S. 12th or Laveille st., near Hickory st., two brand new 2-story pressed-brick front houses of 8 rooms each, in flats of 4 rooms, with water up and down-stairs; good cellars; lot 37½x132 ft. to a 20-foot alley, sewered and paved; will pay 14 per cent on price asked. 7 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

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Serial plan, new plan, best plan, only $1 per share; no premiums deducted; full amount loaned. Send for prospectus. C. R. H. DAVIS, Secretary, Second series now open. 820 Chestnut st.

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For Sale—2640 Ann av., one block south of Russell and just west of Jefferson, nice two-story pressed and molded brick front house with 6 rooms and laundry; water up and down stairs; lot 25x125 feet to an alley; sewered. Will sell on easy terms. 7 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

NICE NEW FLATS.

For sale—3024 and 3026 Laclede av., just west of Garrison, two brand new 2-story pressed and molded brick front houses of 8 rooms each, in flats of 4 rooms, independent halls, bath, gas, marble wash stands. Lot 40x103 ft. to alley. All rented. Will pay 15 per cent interest on price asked. 7 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

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For Sale—2732 and 2734 Clark av., two brand new two-story, pressed brick front houses of 8 rooms each, in flats of 4 rooms; water up and down-stairs; all rented; will pay 15 per cent on price asked. 7 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

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Is now on sale at the office of the WESTERN UNION BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION. Call for prospectus and by-laws. MILO T. BOGARD, Secretary, Telephone 754. 110 N. 9th st.

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FOR SALE—Substantial brick building, 50 rooms, with ample grounds, at Kirkwood, 13 miles from St. Louis Union Depot, 20 trains, choice location, nice order, suitable for hotel, sanitarium, asylum or public institution. Apply to WM. C. WILSON & CO., 9 619 Chestnut st.

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FOR SALE—Suburban tract of land, 26 or 40 acres, adjoining Frisco Railroad Depot at Glendale, and only 900 feet south of Missouri Pacific Depot at Glendale; 11 miles from Union Depot; fare 10½c and 18 daily trains each way; has a beautiful grove of trees; lays very high; very choice for building nice residence; can easily be subdivided. 9 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

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10-room house, all modern improvements; five minutes' walk from depot. DARST & MILTENBERGER, 9 Room 325 Commercial Building.

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MONEY loaned on clothing, diamonds, watches, chains, guns, revolvers, trunks, musical instruments, etc., at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av.

A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest some surplus funds will loan $25 and upwards on household furniture and other security; parties wishing advances will be treated fairly and can secure loans on satisfactory terms. Call at 1017 Morgan st. 31

LOANS on furniture in residence, city real estate and all good securities; fair and reasonable terms. Porter & Williams, room 2, 904 Olive st. 31

BROLASKI & VOORHIS, 111 N. 8th st., make liberal loans and terms on good securities; on furniture, pianos, warehouse receipts, building association books, insurance policies, horses and vehicles, real estate, etc.; see us for low rates. 111 N. 8th st.

MONEY loaned on furniture without removal; any amount; lowest rates. John C. King, 814 Morgan.

MONEY loaned on furniture and pianos without removal; also on indorsed paper or any personal securities; our terms the best in the city. M. E. Dougan & Co., 113 N. 8th st.; no commission. 31

MONEY TO LOAN on household goods, pianos and all other good securities without removal, lowest rates; business strictly confidential; no commission charged. John H. Vette, Notary Public, 115 N. 8th st.

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Loan money on furniture; you can keep possession of your property and pay off the loan in installments at your convenience; no commission charged; all business confidential; we guarantee the lowest terms on these loans, and parties wishing temporary accommodations will find it to their advantage to apply to us. If you have a loan elsewhere and wish it carried at a reasonable rate give us a call. 31

1017 CHESTNUT ST. is the number—I loan any amount on furniture, pianos and other securities in residence; low rates; fair terms. R. W. STALEY, 1017 Chestnut st. 31

MONEY TO LOAN from $1 to $10,000, on watches, diamonds, jewelry, guns, pistols, clothing, trunks, musical instruments, etc. Low rates of interest. S. VAN RAALTE, 31 12 and 14 S. 4th st.

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Advances and loans of from $10 to $10,000 made on furniture, pianos, watches, diamonds, horses, wagons, machinery, goods in storage, etc., without removal from possession of owner, without delay and in entire confidence. Loans so made that any part can be paid at any time, and each payment reducing the cost in proportion. All loans renewed at original rates and carried as long as borrower desires. All persons can be free to call upon us or notify us by mail and feel assured that their matters will be handled in a careful and confidential manner. We have no connection whatever with any other company in the city. MISSOURI MORTGAGE LOAN CO., 619 Pine st., second floor.

DO YOU WANT MONEY?

If so, don't borrow before getting our rates which are the lowest on any sum from $10 to $10,000.

We make loans on furniture, pianos, horses and wagons without publicity or removal of property.

Loans carried as long as desired, part payments taken and costs reduced in proportion.

If you bought furniture on time and can't meet payments we will pay it for you. No charges taken out in advance; borrower gets full amount of loan. Don't forget to call on us for low rates.

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Loans can be carried as long as desired and part payments can be made at any time and the costs of carrying a loan reduced as fast as payments are made. There are no charges to be taken out in advance. Borrowers get full amount of a loan.

If you bought furniture or a piano on time and can't meet the payment, then call on us and we will pay it for you. If you want a loan, then you will find it to your advantage to see us before borrowing.

BANKING ROOMS OF THE German-American Loan Company,

F. W. PETERS, Manager,

815 PINE STREET,

Second Floor.

YOUR advertisement in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH will be read by everybody

A PLAN FOR PUPILS.

Send Your Teacher to Europe, Whether She Is Elected or Not.

For Advice as to This Method, See the Statement Below.

Miss Anna B. Boyd, 1; Miss Callie A. Pritchett, 2; Miss Madge Frederick, 3.

That Is the Order of the Leading Contestants in the Race To-Day—Some Remarkable Changes Among the First Twenty Leaders in the Election—Standing of the First Two Hundred According to Whole Number of Ballots Up to 6 P. M. Yesterday—Brief Rules for Closing the Contest, Which Should Be Studied by All Voters—Letters and Suggestions Received and Considered.

The attention of all voters in the election for the two most popular lady teachers is again called to the following synopsis of the rules for closing the contest, as prepared by the judges:

THE RULES IN BRIEF.

The last ballot will be printed in the next "Sunday Post-Dispatch," May 25.

The sale of copies of the "Sunday Post-Dispatch" containing the last ballot will close Tuesday, May 27 at 6 p. m.

No ballots will be received or counted, under any circumstances, after 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, May 28, when the polls close.

The official result will be announced on Sunday, June 1.

All counting of ballots will stop on Wednesday evening next, May 21, at 6 p. m. No envelopes, etc., will be opened at all after that time until the polls close on Wednesday, May 28, at noon. So that nobody, not even the sworn tellers, will know what the figures are during the last week.

The last list of the standing of the teachers will be printed in next Thursday's "Post-Dispatch," May 22. It will give the result up to 6 p. m. Wednesday, based on the last count, referred to in the preceding paragraph. It will contain all the candidates.

Special orders for copies of next "Sunday Post-Dispatch" containing the last ballot which are in the "Post-Dispatch" office Saturday next, the 24th inst., will escape the rush at the close of the contest.

THE PUPILS.

Here is a suggestion which will give you a double chance to send your favorite teacher to Europe. File all the coupons you can in the guessing contest fully explained in another column. File them for her or in her name, as you choose. If you win, transfer the trip to her. Coupons are printed in every copy of the daily POST-DISPATCH. You will find one on another page of this paper. Get all of them you can. Remember that the guessing contest closes next Saturday night That gives you five days to secure coupons. Hundreds of pupils are already trying this plan to give their teacher a trip to Europe. Do not get left. Send in all the coupons possible before the close of the guessing contest. Read the particulars of the guessing contest and then see that no guessing contest is lost. If you win the trip you may want it yourself. If not guess for your teacher. Watch the guessing coupons closely. Let none of them get away.

A WARNING REPEATED.

Do not send your teacher ballots and your guessing coupons in the same package. The reasons have been stated for several days. After to-morrow night no ballot packages will be opened for a week, and you will therefore lose all guessing coupons contained in such packages, because all coupons must be on file before Saturday next at 10:30 p. m.

The First Two Hundred To-Day.

The standing of the first 200 candidates in the election for two lady teachers to go to Europe, corrected according to all the votes received up to 6 p. m. yesterday, appears below. Many changes will be found in it when compared with the last returns printed on Sunday. The five leaders remain as before, but there is every evidence that the whole bunch is moving. For instance, Mrs. Marie Erskine of the Everett, who was eighth on Sunday, is now sixth, having passed Miss Rosalie Kaufman of the Peabody and Miss Margaret L. Watson of the O'Fallon, to get the place. Mrs. Y. E. Clarke of the Beethoven Conservatory is now ninth, stepping ahead of Miss Sophie J. McElwain of the Crow, and both of them as they advanced, moved ahead of Miss Ella F. Stearns of the Elleardsville. In this way Mrs. Clarke gains two places, Miss Stearns loses two and Miss McElwain's position is unchanged. Miss Gertrude Wright of the Sumner High has been doing very well, she is now twelfth, having since Sunday, gone ahead of Miss Alice Kearney of the Penrose, Miss Emma T. Cleaver of the Ames and Miss Ellen M. Devoy of the Douglass. Miss Emma Maguire of the Pope and Miss Kate Neenan of the Carondelet have moved over Miss A. Jennie Kelly of the Mullanphy and Miss Venda Cohen of the Webster has changed places with Miss Jane Halliday of the Carr Lane. Other changes are numerous.

Boyd, Anna B.—Bates.
Pritchett, Callie A.—Shaw.
Frederick, Madge—Stoddard.
Fanning, Rose Wright—Pestalozzi.
Calhoun, Lucy—Crow.
Erskine, Marie—Everett.
Kaufman, Rosalie—Peabody.
Watson, Margaret L.—O'Fallon.
Clarke, Y. E.—Beethoven Conservatory.
McElwain, Sophia J.—Crow.
Stearns, Ella F.—Elleardsville.
Wright, Gertrude—Sumner High.
Kearney, Alice—Penrose.
Cleaver, Emma T.—Ames.
Devoy, Ellen—Douglas.
Brockman, Ella M.—Clinton.
Maguire, Emma—Pope.
Neenan, Katie—Carondelet.
Kelly, A. Jennie—Mullanphy.
Cohen, Venda—Webster.
Holliday, Jane—Carr Lane.
Morris, Lizzie T.—Elleardsville.
O'Brien, Kate E.—Bates.
Martin, S. T.—Carroll.
Park Lily—Jefferson.
Cardner, Esther—Chouteau.
Cox, M. E.—Manual Training School.
Glitz, Ottilia A.—Crow.
Jones, Kate E.—Irving.
Hesse, Rosa—Substitute.
Schroeder, Lizzie—Clay.
Bacon, F. M.—Franklin.
Verbarg, M. T.—Clinton.
Delaney, Ellen—Pope.
Goodrich, Adelaide—Smith's.
Stith, Stella B.—Lowell.
McCulloch, Mary A.—Sup't Kindergartens.
Buman, C.—Manual Training.
Lauprecht, Clara—Madison.
Billings, Louise K.—Bates.
Timberlake, Mary E.—Blow.
Kieselhorst, Emma T.—Lincoln.
Wilson, Mollie F.—Franklin.
Gruber, Frances—Stoddard.
Sheridan, Nellie J.—Bates.
Sheridan, Maggie—Carr.
Brown, Mary B.—Lincoln.
Hewitt, S. H. M.—O'Fallon.
Heitzell, Viola E.—Divoll.
Watson, Emeretta—Webster.
Maurice, Mary W.—Bates.
Broch, Jennie—Lyons.
McPheeters, J. L.—Central Shorthand.
Schwab, Crosie C.—Clay.
Gibbs, Delia—Cote Brilliante.
Waney, Annie R.—Hodgen.
Kayser, Mattie S.—Lincoln.
Webber, Minnie A.—Pope.
Walker, Lucy K.—Webster.
Stewart, Lizzie M.—Penrose.
Cunningham, Mary—Carr.
Callahan, Kate A.—Carr Lane.
Tobias, Ione—Jefferson.
Stone, Jessie E.—Rock Springs.
Ella B. Baker—Laclede.
Smith, Alice D.—Crow.
Williams, Lizzie R.—Gravois.
Hogan, Gertrude M.—Franklin.
Lefferty, Mamie C.—Carr Lane.
Greene, Eliza C.—Hodgen.
McCargo, A. L.—Mary Institute.
Hastings, Alice R.—Ames.
Warren, Mary A.—Meramec.
Maginn, M. L.—Clay.
Cooke, Kate E.—Divoll.
Niehaus, Martha J. E.—Eliot.
Morrow, Eliza—Blair Branch.
Blish, Carrie W.—Stoddard.
Schneider, Bertha J.—Madison.
Dependahl, Hermina—Blair.
Frederick, Flora C.—Blow.
O'Neill, Annie R.—Madison.
Wilson, Mabel A.—Franklin.
Gallagher, Annie F.—Lafayette.
McGrath, Mary E.—Hamilton.
McGovern, Annie F.—Hamilton.
Dwyer, Kate D.—Chouteau.
Kinkead, Jennie—Carr Lane.
McBurney, C. M.—Carr Lane.
Higgins, M. A.—O'Fallon.
Ryan, Nannie A.—Pope.
Archhoefer, Sarah—Benton.
Harris, Bessie—Douglas.
Chapman, E. E.—Webster.
Werth, H. H.—Humboldt.
Nixon, J. B.—Pope.
Roper, A. M.—Jefferson.
Dodge, J. T.—St. Louis Collegiate.
Schaper, Emma I.—Webster.
Robinson, F. A.—Stoddard.
Lee, Josephine—No. 4.
Moerschel E.—Blair.
Nugent, M. N.—Bryan Hill.
Burke, M. E.—Mullanphy.
La Beaume, A. E.—Ames.
Maylan, M.—Pestalozzi.
Hall, M. A.—Crow.
Yore, M. L.—Everett.
Tucker, R. A.—Blair.
Meyer, C. M.—Carroll.
Casey, Julia M.—Blair.
Nolan, Mary—Jefferson.
O'Neill, Lizzie—Lyon.
Kitchen, Grace—Penrose.
Krebs, Bettina—Blair.
Miller, Leocadia—Blair.
Hughes, M. A.—Bates.
Bentley, H. E. Douglas.
Park, Lillie I.—Pope.
McDonnell, A. I.—Crow.
Brown, L. A.—Crow.
Zeiss, Clara—Pope.
Leyh, C. C.—Jefferson.
Creedon, J. M.—Irving.
Goodlett, C. E.—Crow.
Noble, Jennie—Lincoln.
Grant, A. S. Shepard.
Friedman, T. B.—Hodgen.
Goode, M. N.—Pope.
Goodfellow, J. R.—Clay.
Hill, Mary N.—Lincoln.
Hackstaff, C. L.—Carroll.
Hinchman, Laura—Madison.
Anderson, Ione—Arlington.
McLean, E.—Hodgen.
Hewitt, M. E.—Blair.
Tyler, M. E.—Douglas.
Beck, Julia C.—Irving.
Kelly, Julia M.—Webster.
Glenn, Margaret—Lyon.
Harris, J.—Private.
O'Leary, M. E.—Lincoln.
Maher, M. J.—Humboldt.
Lightner, L. V.—Clinton.
Ambruster, J. M.—Stoddard.
Bergesch, Ottilia—Franklin.
Dunn, M. A.—O'Fallon.
Abbott, L. F.—Crow.
McCann, K. T.—Benton.
Kinney, K. M.—Irving.
Warne, J. F.—Ames.
McClure, Margaret A.—Jefferson.
Wannall, Hattie I.—Ashland.
Wheeler, Elizabeth—Shaw.
Buckley, Elizabeth—Carr Lane.
Culkin, Mary A.—Charless.
Carroll, Mary—Stoddard.
Tichenor, Laura J.—Roe.
Slater, Margaret K.—Charless.
Geair, Maryatt A.—Clay.
Ahrens, Bertha—Ames.
Ernst, Alice—Lowell.
Lauff, Maggie—Webster.
Scott, Lizzie—Everett.
Griffith, Lucy—Lyon.
Moench, A.—Normal.
Rowe, L. T.—Pope.
Waters, Fannie—High.
Kearney, Belle—O'Fallon.
Mathews, A. L.—High.
Lynch, M. E.—O'Fallon.
Todd, Annie—Cote Brilliante.
Crocker, G. E.—Divoll.
Warner, J. E.—Madison.
Shinnick, M. J.—Lincoln.
Hanley, M. P.—Pope.
Maguire, Sarah A.—Ashland.
Hunt, J. M.—Rock Spring.
Hays, Zoe—Ashland.
Chartrand, W. M.—Clay.
Bryant, C. S.—Charless.
Bayer, Ottilia—Irving.
Strait, M. A.—Ashland.
Barrett, Mary—Hamilton.
Whitmore, E. A.—Franklin.
Weigel, Clara—Charless.
Hughes, M. A.—Crow.
Koop, Emily—Peabody.
Mills, Esther—Hodgen.
Ford, Ella—Elliot.
Walsh, M. J.—Douglas.
Cooper, Rose—Blow.
Corkener, A. M.—Pope.
Gorman, M. T.—Peabody.
Sonnenschein, Fanny—Humboldt.
Lynch, Julia T.—Clay.
Griffith, F. B.—Stoddard.
Fanning, M. A.—Laclede.
Kavanaugh, M.—O'Fallon.
Crimmons, A. S.—Penrose.

Voters' Letter-Box.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I have not up to this date cast one vote in the teachers' contest; will cast my votes near the close with the rest of the popular wave for St. Louis' favorite teacher, Miss Anna B. Boyd, who is a most excellent young lady and has no wealthy relatives to send her to Europe as the popular teacher. But she has some good, true friends that will stay by this contest until the last vote is cast and expect to send Miss Boyd by all fair and honest means in their power. PERCY PIERCE.

[Your best plan would be to send them in at once. Remember the time for closing the polls and do not allow the closing rush to catch you.]

ST. LOUIS, May 19, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In behalf of Miss Rosalie Kaufman I write these few lines, hoping that in some way she may derive benefit from them. If as you say, that the two most popular teachers are to go to Europe, I think that Miss Rosalie Kaufman, as far as her popularity is concerned, ought to be one of them. Who has ever seen Miss Kaufman without a pleasing smile? When has there been a class in the Polytechnic Branch High School since Miss Kaufman has been teaching without a pupil from the Peabody School ranking first? Never, never, as long as the records of the Polytechnic go. DAVID T. P.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I take great pleasure in reading the POST-DISPATCH every evening and would take more in seeing Miss Alice Kearney's name raised considerably. She is of the Penrose School and she is my favorite teacher, and I think she deserves to go. She is a perfect lady and a splendid teacher. EMMA THIEMEYER.
2400 Elliott avenue.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Two letters in favor of Miss Margaret L. Watson have been sent for publication—one last Friday a week ago; another on Wednesday of this week, inclosing ballots, which have not appeared. Letters are published in the interest of others, and why not in her case? Her friends are working hard to place her at the top of the list again, and will continue to til the last moment. M. E.,
2622 Lafayette avenue.

[It is impossible to print all letters and when any are to be rejected, preference is given to those which are not anonymous, and which contain information or suggestions. One of the letters you refer to was rejected because it was too personal.]

ST. LOUIS, May 18, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed please find ballots for Mrs. Rose W. Fanning—so few when compared with my desires and her merits. Could the prayers of the poor whom she has befriended and the blessings of aching hearts whom her kind words have consoled and comforted, could these be coined into silver dollars they would form a shining pathway for her feet across the broad Atlantic. MATILDA S——.

MAY 18, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed find votes for Miss Sarah Archshoefer. We think her a most worthy teacher and would like to see her first on the list. By placing these to her credit you will oblige R. T. AND G. H.

ST. LOUIS, May 18, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Our Fourth Reader says: "Whenever you fall in your attempts to do any good thing let your motto be, try again." We do and shall try as long as the kind POST-DISPATCH gives such a nice prize to the most popular teacher. We think Sophie T. Martin is the most deserving for the pains she takes to have us learn. We here send three more votes to get her up to the top of the list. ROSE, LYDIA AND EMMA.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed you will find 12 votes which I collected for Miss Gertrude Wright of Sumner High School. I hope the scholars of the High School will put their shoulder to the wheel, and she will certainly go to Europe at the expense of the POST-DISPATCH. GERTIE BASS.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Since none of my favorite teachers are going to Europe, and as we all love and respect Mrs. Rose Fanning, who has done so much for the poor in our district, we all hope and expect Mrs. Fanning to come up to the head and go to Europe.
LILLIE MAY READER, Madison School.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Yesterday at 10 a. m. there was delivered to one of the clerks in your office ballots for Miss Lily Park of the Jefferson School, which I expected would put her among the large type ones, but instead I find her standing was not changed at all. Now will you please investigate the matter. They either were not delivered by your clerk to the judges or overlooked by the latter in the count. AN OLD SUBSCRIBER.

[The votes are filed.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 18, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I herewith inclose three votes for Miss Venda Cohen, also six guesses for the trip to Europe. With all due respect to loyalty, etc., I wish those who are now voting for the teachers who are so far behind as to be almost out of the race, so to speak, would cast their votes for the above young lady, which stands a chance to pass them all before the contest closes. Those who may heed my suggestion will confer a favor which will not do themselves any injury. J. E. A.

PRICHARD, STATION, Ala., May 15, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed find four cents in postage stamps, for which please mail me one copy of the POST-DISPATCH, Sunday, May 11. I send seven guessing coupons, hope I have committed no error by sending them together.

I have received several of your valuable papers mailed to our quiet, little post-office, and feel much interested in this generous and beautiful appreciation of your lady teachers. There must be many equally worthy of this splendid trip you offer them, and I hope the unsuccessful ones will accept their defeat graciously, knowing it was not their fault, but their misfortune. Long life and prosperity to your generous paper. INEZ L. SHELTON.

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 16, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

We are all anxious to see what teachers will go to Europe. We hope it will be some of the South Side teachers. We all wish it would be Mrs. Fanning, as she deserves some reward for all her years of patient teaching. She is loving and kind to every one. All who know her love her. She has also done very much for the poor, for which they ought to be grateful. GRACE WINN, Madison School.

ST. LOUIS, May 17.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Will the winning teachers in their trip touch Breslau, in Germany? It is my birthplace and most of my relations reside there. If so, I would kindly ask the winning teacher, who will be Miss Rosalie Kaufmann, to take a few words along with her to deliver to them. MAX KNOCK.

NEOSHO, May 15, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please find inclosed guesses. Will you please state in your much read paper who is teaching in Room No. 5, Clay School. I have several ballots would like to cast for her. C. H. LEWIS.

[Mrs. Crosie C. Schwab at present.]

NEOSHO, MO., May 10.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed find six votes for Miss Elizabeth Waugh of the old Madison school. Will you please inform me through the columns of your valuable paper who is at present teaching in room No. 6 of the same school. I should like to know, as I used to go there and have forgotten my teacher's name. E. C. JAEGER.

[Marian Von Talkacz.]

ST. LOUIS, May 15, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please state in your paper if Miss Gertrude Wright is the same teacher that used to teach at Gratiot School, Cheltenham, in 1885, and oblige A SUBSCRIBER.

[No.]

ST. LOUIS, May 15.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please let me know how many years Miss Eliza Waugh, teacher of the Madison School, has been teaching? INQUISITIVE.

[She has taught over fifteen years.]

ST. LOUIS, May 12, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Is Miss Emily Huber teaching this year, and in what school? Little Daisy desires to send in some ballots for her. What time will the party start on their tour? ALICE SCHOLTE.
3532 South Broadway.

[1. Miss Emily Huber is not teaching now. 2. As soon after June 1 as they wish.]

ST. LOUIS, May 16, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Will you please let me know if Miss Harris that taught room B in Peabody School in the year 1880 is still teaching and at which school. Is Mrs. Skillman that taught No. 1 Clinton School in 1878 and at which school? Was Miss Marion Cox a pupil of room B in 1880? J. B. S.

[Mrs. Skillman still teaches at Madison. Miss Harris is not teaching. The records do not show whether Miss Cox was a pupil there or not. Such records are not kept, as a rule.]

ST. LOUIS, May 18.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Can you tell me if Miss Milligan, who taught in room No. 1 at the Franklin School about eleven years ago, is still teaching? If so, at what school? I want to vote for her; but have not seen her name in the list. If you will answer in Sunday's paper you will greatly oblige a READER.

[Miss Milligan is Principal of the school at Webster Groves, St. Louis County.]

Answers in Brief.

MARCUS J.—Your poem in support of Miss Blish was printed on Sunday. You will find it with Miss Anna B. Boyd's name used in it. "Blish" and "unalloyed" do not rhyme, but "Boyd" and "unalloyed" do.

THOMAS, F. P.—You can guess in your teachers name if you wish and transfer the trip to her if you win it. Or you can guess in your own name and make the transfer.

CHAS. STEIN AND OTHERS.—The picture and sketch asked for will appear next Sunday.

BACKED BY WHITE CAPS.

The Curious Divorce Case of Wilson vs. Wilson at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 20.—For the first time in the history of the Supreme Court here, the suit of a wife against her husband for absolute divorce is backed up by a band of White Caps. The case is entitled, Sarah Ida Wilson against Frederick Wilson. The defendant is a well-known carpenter and the co-respondent is Susan Carnwell, the daughter of Farmer Carnwell, of the town of Fishkill. Carnwell has two daughters Susan and Carolina. Early last March Wilson, who then lived here, visited the Carnwell house frequently, paying his addresses first to Caroline and winning her affections. Then he transferred his love to Susan, whereupon Caroline became jealous and threatened vengeance. One night Wilson came as usual and went off into a secluded part of the house with Susan. This was at 9 p. m. Caroline was enraged and sent word to the White Caps that the time for them to act had come. At midnight the White Caps appeared, broke into the house, entered the room where Wilson and Susan were and commanded Wilson to leave the house. He left the house at 2 o'clock in the morning. The divorce suit of the wife followed and was tried yesterday before Judge Barnard. Mrs. Wilson and her friends occupied seats upon the north side of the court room and fifteen or twenty White Caps filled the judges' benches along the main aisle. Among them were Benj. Humison, Fred Hart, Charles Schofield, Jos. Beacher, David Bulmer, Mrs. David Bulmer and John Beacher and Mrs. John J. Schofield and Dell Parkhurst. All the set had been subpœnaed as to the goings-on. Within the bar sat Lawyer Ed Crummer, Mrs. Wilson's counsel, and by his side sat Caroline Carnwell, who is quite prepossessing in appearance. She wore a blue velvet suit and Gainsborough hat and seemed to be perfectly at ease. She has a peach color in her face and large brown hands. Counsel for the husband sat next to Mr. Crummer. Mrs. Wilson was called to the stand first. She is of middle age, quite stout and matronly. Her 10-year old son sat with her friends. She testified as to her marriage. She had never connived with nor assented to her husband's intimacy with Susan Carnwell. She and her husband had lived with the Carnwells twelve years ago. He had always provided for her well and they had had difficulties more or less ever since they were married. Mr. Crummer called Caroline Carnwell. The young lady took the stand without fear and squared herself to answer questions. She lived with her sister Susan on the Fishkill farm up to March 9 last. The night before March 9 Wilson came to the house and took her sister's trunk away. Wilson had stayed all night at the house several times. Witness had burst Susan's door open and each time saw Susan and Wilson there. The last time Wilson came it was at 9 in the evening. She then sent word to the White Caps that now was the time for them to act. They came at midnight and he left at 2 o'clock in the morning. At this junture Lawyer Crummer was about to call the White Caps one by one to stand up, but Judge Barnard interrupted, saying:

"I think you have enough evidence in. I see no reason to doubt this witness. She is Susan's own sister and she shows no forwardness. I find that the plaintiff's case is shown."

"Now then for alimony," responded Mr. Crummer. "I have heard that Wilson has means."

"He has nothing only what he works for," replied the defendant's counsel, "and he has to support the child. He is willing to pay his wife $3 a week."

"She is entitled to have the child," said the Judge, "and to have half what Wilson earns at least. Now he must pay her $7 a week as long as he lives. That is the risk he runs when he undertakes to have two wives. He can't stand two families."

"Sposin' he don't earn but $7 a week?" queried Mr. Hopkins. "He must earn more to fulfill his promise he made to his wife at the altar."

This ended the case. All the parties left the court and the Fishkill White Caps returned to their homes.

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Died a Millionaire.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 20.—Sig. Vald A. Qualde died Saturday night of pulmonary consumption, aged 38. He came from Norway as a boy, without a dollar, obtained employment at manual labor with the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha land agent at Hudson, was given a position in the office, saved his salary of $40 a month, speculated in lands and leaves an estate of about $1,000,000. He was the owner of nine-tenths of the stock of the great Wisconsin River Land Co. and owned vast tracts all over the Northwest, besides real estate in Minneapolis, Duluth, West Superior and Eau Claire. He leaves a widow and three stepdaughters.

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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

SHAW'S BANQUET.

The First Annual Banquet to the Trustees of the Garden and Their Friends.

On Monday evening, May 26, a banquet will be given at the Southern Hotel by the Trustees of Shaw's Garden, in consequence of the following clause in the will of Henry Shaw.

I hereby bequeath one thousand ($1,000) dollars annually for a banquet to the trustees of the garden, and to the guests they may invite, literary and scientific men, and friends and patrons of the natural sciences; to be paid each year out of the funds devised for the support of the garden; also $400 annually from the same fund for a banquet to the gardeners of the institution, and invited florists, nurserymen, and market gardeners of St. Louis and vicinity, said banquet to be presided over by the Director of said Botanical Garden.

This will be the first banquet given by the trustees, and they promise it will be an elegant affair. A number of invitations have been sent out, and it is expected that about 100 guests will be present, almost twenty-five being from other cities. These invitations were sent out by the trustees about a week ago.

The different committees have not yet been appointed, and will not be until later in the week. The decorations will be as beautiful as can be obtained, and the affair will be one of the most elegant ever seen in St. Louis.

A Saloonkeeper in Trouble.

Deputy Sheriff Hardtwig went to the little town of Thompsonville, Franklin County, Ill., and with the assistance of local officers arrested one John R. Miller. The prisoner is a saloonkeeper at Thompsonville and has a family of seven children. His arrest was caused by a representative of the Royal Cigar Co., 907 South Broadway, who swore out a warrant charging him with embezzlement. Miller, it seems, was engaged as an agent for the company, and acting in that capacity is alleged to have collected $80, which he refused to turn over when called upon. A requisition was obtained from Governor Fifer and Miller is now in the St. Louis Jail.

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ELECTION NOTICES.

ELECTION NOTICE—An election for four trustees of the Covenant Mutual Life Insurance Company of St. Louis, to serve for a term of four years, will be held at the office of the company, rooms 205 and 206, Odd Fellows' Hall. Olive and 9th sts., on Monday, June 2, 1890. Poll open from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 m.
E. WILKERSON, President.
CHAS. E. PILLING, Sec'y.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS.

ST. LOUIS, MAY 15, 1890.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the El Paso & St. Louis Mining Co. will take place at the office of the company, No. 315 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, the 2d day of June, A. D. 1890, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing five (5) directors to serve the ensuing year and for such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
R. H. DREYER, Secretary.

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CITY PRINTING.

OFFICE OF THE CITY REGISTER,
CITY HALL, ST. LOUIS, May 12, 1890.

Pursuant to the requirements of the charter and ordinances of the City of St. Louis, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon,

THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1890,

from the publishers of newspapers in the city of St. Louis, having a uniform daily circulation of over three thousand (3,000) copies, for the city printing during the ensuing year. Said bids must propose to do the printing and advertising required by law or ordinance to be done in the newspapers, including Mullanphy Relief Fund and Collector's office, at a uniform price per line, as per style of printing, as may be shown at Register's office, and must be accompanied with affidavits of said publishers that the uniform daily circulation of their respective newspapers is over three thousand (3,000) copies.

The papers published in the English language bidding shall also state in their bid the price per page they will print 400 copies of the proceedings of the Municipal Assembly (200 copies for each House, no blank pages to be counted), as may be published in such newspaper, in pamphlet form, and furnish the same within two days after each meeting to each house of the Municipal Assembly.

The English papers will also state at what price per page they will furnish 1,500 copies of the ordinance as may be published in the newspapers, of a uniform size, suitable for binding in the customary pamphlet form (no blank pages to be counted). The English papers bidding will also state at what price per page they will furnish one hundred printed copies of the proceedings of the Board of Public Improvements as may be published in the newspapers (no blank pages to be counted).

The papers published in the German language bidding shall also include in their bid the cost of translation.

Bidders will be required to make a cash deposit of one hundred dollars.

A bond of ten thousand dollars will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid shall be considered in which there shall be an erasure or interlineation.

All bids must be indorsed "Proposals for City Printing."

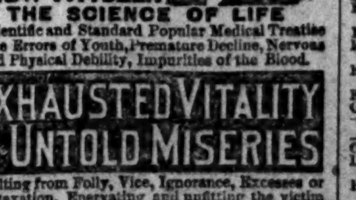
The papers receiving the contract will be required to furnish twenty-two copies of the daily papers free of charge. The English paper receiving the contract will be required to furnish two dozen slips of each advertisement made by the Commissioner of Supplies, free of charge, to the said Commissioner.

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Denver, Lincoln, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Joseph and California Express	† 8:15 pm	† 7:20 am
Hannibal, Quincy, Keokuk, Burlington, Spirit Lake and St. Paul Night Express	† 8:45 pm	† 6:30 am
St. Louis and Quincy Sunday Excursion train	§ 7:30 am	§11:15 pm

BURLINGTON ROUTE—C., B. & Q. R. R.		
St. Paul, Peoria, Dubuque and La Crosse Express	† 9:15 am	† 5:15 pm
Rock Island, Denver and San Francisco Express	† 8:15 pm	† 6:50 am

The 8:15 p. m. C., B. & Q. is daily except Saturday, and the 6:50 a. m. arrives daily except Monday.

VANDALIA LINE.		
Pennsylvania Special, daily	8:10 am	7:40 pm
Day Express, daily	8:40 am	7:00 pm
N. Y., Balt. & Wash. Exp., daily	8:00 pm	7:00 am
Cincinnati Express, daily	7:30 pm	7:00 am
Chicago Night Express, daily	8:00 pm	7:00 am
Chicago Express, exc. Sunday	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Indianapolis Accom., exc. Sun.	11:25 am	5:00 pm
Cincin. Day Express, daily	8:10 am	7:00 pm
Effingham Accom., daily	5:30 pm	7:55 am

WABASH RAILROAD.		
LINES EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER.		
Chicago & Peoria Express	* 7:05 am	* 7:25 pm
Chicago & Peoria Fast Express	* 7:55 am	* 6:15 pm
New York Fast Express	† 7:55 am	† 6:15 pm
Decatur & Jacksonville Accom	* 4:45 pm	* 10:35 am
New York & Boston Fast Exp.	† 6:55 pm	† 7:45 am
Chicago Night Express	† 8:10 pm	† 7:25 am
LINES WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER.		
Through Mail and Express	† 8:30 am	† 6:15 pm
Kansas City, St. Joe & Ottumwa Fast Line	9:00 pm	* 6:30 pm
Montgomery Accommodation	* 5:00 pm	* 11:55 am
Omaha, Des Moines & St. Paul Express	† 8:25 pm	* 7:30 am
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Denver & Salt Lake Short Line	† 8:35 pm	† 7:00 am
Ferguson Accommodation	* 7:30 am	* 7:15 am
Ferguson Accommodation	* 1:00 pm	* 8:25 am
Ferguson Accommodation	* 4:00 pm	* 3:50 pm
Ferguson Accommodation	* 6:30 pm	* 5:35 pm
Ferguson theater train (Thursday only)	11:15 pm	7:50 pm
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	1:00 pm	10:20 am
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	4:00 pm	3:00 pm
FROM VINE STREET STATION.		
Ferguson Accommodation	* 6:50 am	* 6:45 am
Bridgeton Accommodation	* 8:50 am	* 8:45 am
Ferguson Accommodation	* 10:45 am	* 10:40 am
Bridgeton Accommodation	* 4:15 pm	* 1:40 pm
St. Charles Accommodation	* 5:40 pm	* 8:00 am
Ferguson Accommodation	* 6:20 pm	* 6:10 pm
Ferguson theater train (Wednesdays and Fridays only)	11:15 pm	7:50 pm
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	8:55 am	8:45 am
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	1:30 pm	10:25 am
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	2:45 pm	2:30 pm
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	5:45 pm	5:35 pm

ST. LOUIS & HANNIBAL. Via Wabash Railroad.		
Bowling Green and Hannibal Mail and Express	* 5:00 pm	*11:55 am
Through Express	* 9:00 am	* 6:30 pm

CHICAGO, ALTON & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.		
Kansas City Mail	† 8:45 am	† 7:00 pm
Chicago Express Mail	* 8:15 am	* 7:35 pm
Alton Express	*10:00 am	* 8:00 am
Through Chicago Express	† 4:40 pm	†10:40 am
Jacksonville Accommodation	* 5:50 pm	*10:40 am
Chicago Lightning Express	† 7:55 pm	† 7:30 am
Kansas City Vestibuled Limited	† 8:20 pm	† 7:00 am
Godfrey & Alton Accom.		* 1:40 pm

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD.		
Mt. Vernon Accommodation		* 9:10 am
Southern Fast Mail	† 7:50 am	† 7:45 pm
Mt. Vernon Accommodation	* 5:00 pm	
Belleville Accommodation	† 10:45 am	† 1:50 pm
Southern Fast Line	† 7:35 pm	† 7:25 am

ST. LOUIS, ARKANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY.		
Arkansas & Texas Express	† 8:05 pm	
Arkansas & Texas Express		† 7:40 am

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY.		
Dallas, Ft. Worth, Houston, Galveston Express	† 9:00 am	† 6:25 pm
Dallas, Ft. Worth, Austin and San Antonio Express	† 9:15 pm	† 6:40 am

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD (Chicago Line.)		
Day Express	*8:40 am	*7:00 pm
Chicago Express	†8:00 pm	†7:00 am

OHIO & MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY.

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Cincinnati & Louisville Accom.	* 6:40 am	* 7:15 pm
Cin'ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phila. and New York	† 8:00 am	† 6:45 pm
Cincinnati Express	† 7:00 pm	† 6:40 am
Cincinnati, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phila. and New York	† 8:00 pm	† 7:45 am
Salem Accommodation	* 5:15 pm	* 8:25 am

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Day Express	† 7:15 am	† 5:45 pm
Southwestern Limited	† 8:05 am	† 6:00 pm
Alton Express Daily	10:40 am	8:15 am
Mattoon Accommodation	* 4:35 pm	*10:30 am
Southwestern Express	† 7:25 pm	† 7:30 am
Alton Express Daily	5:55 pm	1:45 pm

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MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD.		
New Orleans Express	† 7:50 pm	† 7:00 am
Cairo & Jackson Express	* 7:40 am	* 7:25 pm
Mobile & Florida Express	† 7:50 pm	† 7:00 am
Murphysboro & Chester Acc'm	* 5:05 pm	*11:00 am

ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY.		
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	† 7:00 am	* 6:45 am
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 8:15 am	* 8:40 am
Through Mail	† 8:25 am	† 6:30 pm
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	*12:30 pm	*10:45 am
Windsor Spring Acc. Sun. only	1:00 pm	10:20 am
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 4:20 pm	* 4:00 pm
Pacific Accommodation	* 5:25 pm	* 7:50 am
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 6:30 pm	† 6:10 pm
Through Express	* 8:15 pm	† 6:30 am

TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & KANSAS CITY R. R.		
Day Express	7:45 am	5:05 pm

CAIRO SHORT LINE RAILROAD.		
New Orleans & Memphis Fast L.	† 7:40 pm	† 7:45 pm
Cairo & Memphis Express	† 7:40 pm	† 7:20 am
Cairo & Paducah Express	† 7:35 am	† 1:30 pm
Grand Tower & Cape Girardeau Express	* 7:35 am	* 7:45 pm
Sparta, Murphysboro & Carbondale Accommodation	* 4:30 pm	* 1:30 pm

ST. LOUIS, ALTON & SPRINGFIELD R. R. (Bluff Line, via Big 4)		
Grafton and Elsah Express	* 7:15 am	* 5:45 pm
Jerseyville and Springfield Ex	* 4:20 pm	†11:45 am

All trains daily except Sunday.

LOUISVILLE & ST. LOUIS "AIR LINE." (L. E. & ST. L. CON. R. R.)		
Louisville Day Express	† 7:50 am	† 7:45 pm
Louisville Night Fast Line	† 7:35 pm	† 7:25 am
ILLINOIS & ST. LOUIS DIVISION.		
Belleville Accommodation (b)	8:25 am	† 7:55 am
Belleville Accommodation	*11:00 am	*10:30 am
Belleville Accommodation	* 2:50 pm	* 2:00 pm
Belleville Accommodation (b)	5:35 pm	† 5:10 pm

On sundays trains marked (b) will run thirty minutes later.

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY.		
Fast Mail	† 3:00 am	
Creve Cœur Lake Passenger	† 6:00 am	† 8:10 am
Oak Hill Passenger	* 6:20 am	* 6:35 am
Kirkwood Passenger	* 6:45 am	* 6:30 am
Kirkwood Pass. (Sunday only)	7:30 am	
Local Express	† 7:55 am	† 6:25 pm
Kirkwood Passenger	* 8:00 am	* 7:25 am
Creve Cœur Pass. (Sunday only)	8:00 am	10:10 am
Oak Hill Passenger	† 8:05 am	† 8:20 am
Kansas City, Omaha, Lincoln, Southern Kansas & Galv. Exp	† 9:00 am	† 6:45 pm
Creve Cœur Passenger	† 9:30 am	†12:40 pm
Kirkwood Passenger	* 9:50 am	* 8:40 am
Oak Hill Passenger	†10:00 am	†10:30 am
Kirkwood Passenger	*11:50 am	† 9:50 am
Oak Hill Passenger	*11:55 am	*11:55 am
Kirkwood Pass. (Sunday only)	1:00 pm	2:50 pm
Oak Hill Pass. (Sunday only)	1:15 pm	
Creve Cœur Passenger	† 1:30 pm	† 3:50 pm
Creve Cœur Pass. (Sunday only)	2:00 pm	10:30 pm
Oak Hill Passenger	† 3:00 pm	† 1:30 pm
Kirkwood Passenger	* 3:15 pm	*12:35 pm
Kirkwood Passenger	* 4:20 pm	* 1:50 pm
Creve Cœur Passenger	† 4:25 pm	† 8:00 pm
Oak Hill Passenger	† 4:45 pm	† 5:35 pm
Washington Passenger	* 5:25 pm	* 8:00 am
Kirkwood Passenger	† 5:50 pm	* 8:10 pm
Oak Hill Passenger	† 6:15 pm	† 6:55 pm
Kirkwood Passenger	* 6:30 pm	* 5:55 pm
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and Wichita Fast Line	† 8:20 pm	† 6:46 am
Kirkwood Passenger	* 8:45 pm	† 7:40 pm
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Colorado & Texas Express	† 9:15 pm	† 6:40 am
Kirkwood Passenger (Sunday only)	9:45 pm	
Kirkwood Passenger	*11:30 pm	*10:50 pm
Oak Hill Passenger	†11:35 pm	† 7:45 pm

ST. LOUIS, IRON MOUNTAIN & SOUTHERN.		
Columbus Accommodation	† 7:55 am	† 6:45 pm
Little Rock, Hot Springs, Dallas and Fort Worth Express	† 9:25 am	† 5:45 pm
Hot Springs, Gal., San Antonio, Laredo and City of Mexico Fast Line	† 8:10 pm	† 7:30 am
Memphis, Little Rock, Hot Springs, Dallas, Fort Worth, El Paso and California Express	† 8:20 pm	† 7:20 am

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